

Ration of Meat
May Be Increased

OTTAWA (CP)—A slight increase in the individual meat ration may result from adjustments being made in the coupon values of the various meat cuts which are expected to be announced tomorrow, it was learned this afternoon.

It was understood some items were being placed in lower ration categories, which would mean more of them would be available per coupon.

No More Abuse

TOKYO (AP)—Premier Kijiro Shidehara today promised "severe punishment of government officials who have trampled the rights of the people in the past," in his first broadcast as cabinet head to the Japanese homeland. In his otherwise-gloomy speech the elderly baron urged unity to assist the government in the heavy economic struggle ahead.

Robbed in Daylight

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two armed robbers staged a daylight robbery at the Berkeley Silk Store on Vancouver's main street today and escaped with \$594, all in cash. They left \$50 in cash and a number of cheques. The loss is covered by insurance.

A. Wasel, store manager, said the bandits were "very deliberate and unhurried" and appeared to be "professionals."

Girl Kidnapped

VANCOUVER (CP)—Police today investigated a report made by a 17-year-old Vancouver girl that she had been kidnapped Saturday night by three United States sailors. She told police the men forced her into an automobile at a downtown Vancouver intersection and took her to the hotel, where they forced her to remain until Sunday morning. She said one of the sailors was attached to the U.S. navy base at Whidby Island, Wash.

Norway Goes Left

LONDON (CP)—Returns announced here today by the Norwegian information office indicated Norway's voters had swung heavily toward the left in their first general election in nine years.

Conservatives 128,743 votes, Agrarians 104,205, Christian Popular Party 60,550, Liberals 146,739, Labor 394,210, Communist 93,336. Labor and Communist gains were made at the expense of the Conservatives, Liberals and Agrarians.

Peron Reported
To Have Resigned

BUENOS AIRES (AP)—Vice-president Juan Peron, strong man of Argentina's military government, was reported by several army officers at the Campo de Oaya garrison today to have resigned.

An Associated Press reporter who telephoned from the vicinity of the garrison, in the capital's suburbs, said he had talked with numerous officers who asserted Peron had resigned.

The reporter said the officers told him President Edelmiro Farrell was conferring with Gen. Eduardo AVALOS, commander of the Campo de Mayo garrison.

He himself could see the president's car outside the administration building, the reporter said.

Admissions By Kramer

LUENEBURG, Germany (Reuter)—Josef Kramer, commandant of the notorious Belzen concentration camp, admitted today he had forced prisoners into the gas chamber at the Natzweiler camp while he was at that German prison centre and that he had turned on the gas personally.

Testifying under cross-examination at the trial of those who served at two Nazi camps on atrocity charges Kramer denied having taken part in the selection of victims destined for the gas chamber.

General Electric
Westinghouse Sued

WASHINGTON (AP)—The U.S. Justice Department today announced the filing of civil action against the General Electric Company and the Westinghouse Electric Corporation, alleging violation of the anti-trust laws in the sale of electrical equipment for export.

The department announcement said the complaint alleged that since about 1931 the defendants "have been continuously and now are engaged in" an unlawful combination to restrain trade with foreign countries in electrical equipment.

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Flames Sweep Holdings Near Shawnigan

Food Crisis
Faces Britain;
275 Ships Halted

LONDON (AP)—A nationwide food crisis threatened today as a strike of British dock workers, which has tied up 275 ships, spread to the great London docks and four smaller ports.

About 2,000 workers at three of the largest Port of London docks virtually shut down a dozen northern ports.

Earlier today, more than 2,000 dock workers quit at Preston, South Shields, Middlesbrough and Garston to bring the estimated total of men out to 32,000.

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Laval Convicted
Sentenced to Die

Listening to proceedings during his treason trial in the Paris Palace of Justice, Pierre Laval, one-time Vichy Premier, is seen above. He refused to attend later sessions of the trial and even was absent today when he was sentenced to death.

PARIS (Reuter)—Pierre Laval today was convicted of treason and sentenced to death.

The case against the 62-year-old former Vichy Premier went to the jury late in the day while he remained in a dungeon beneath the courtroom of the Palace of Justice which had resounded to a two-hour attack on his relations with the Germans.

Specific charges against Laval were of having intelligence with the enemy and attacking the security of France.

Andre Mornet, grey-bearded prosecutor of former Marshal Petain and the First Great War spy Mata Hari, had asked the death sentence. Earlier, he had declared frankly that the strange hearing was a political trial.

By agreement of the four-power tribunal, the text of the indictment will be released for publication Thursday in London, Washington, Moscow and Paris. The hour was set tentatively at 8 p.m., G.M.T. (noon, P.S.T.).

The date for opening of the trial has not been set. It will not be before the accused have 30 days in which to prepare their defense.

In the indictment, drawn up by the Allies after months of preparation, the defendants are charged collectively. An appendix lists the particulars of the crimes charged against each individual.

This is the method the prosecution will employ in presenting its case, involving charges of preparing for and waging aggressive war against humanity.

British spokesmen will press the charges concerning violation of international treaties in waging aggressive war.

The suggested improvements include replacing the ramp in front of the grandstand with black-top surface, with the retaining wall, 205 feet long, raised up to grade, new retaining walls at ends and wherever needed, at a cost of \$4,100.

The association will beautify the entrance, continue the high fence around the north end of the race track, build a building at the back of the grandstand to provide additional cashiers' booths for small betters, remove the present dining-room by removing the partition on the north end of the grandstand to straighten some cashiers' lines. This will mean erection of another dining-room, 30 by 38 feet.

Other improvements will be a new ladies' rest room, a new lavatory for men, a new kitchen and a new press box containing 12 seats back of the present row of boxes.

The association points out the need for extra box seat accommodation and propose an additional row of 28 boxes. The painting of the grandstand in cream and green is also mooted.

In addition, minor improvements, such as improving the paddock, building bleachers next to the horsemen's restaurant and moving a fence back even with the end of the grandstand are proposed.

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Big 3 Unable
To End Deadlock
Of Ministers

LONDON (CP)—Foreign Secretary Bevin told the House of Commons today that Prime Minister Attlee, President Truman and Generalissimo Stalin have been unable to break the deadlock over procedure which collapsed the recent conference of Allied foreign ministers.

Just before Mr. Bevin began his formal report on the meeting, Mr. Attlee said the government "will of course be happy" to discuss with the United States the future of atomic power.

Mr. Bevin outlined to the crowded and anxious House details of the dispute which arose over the question of whether all five leading Allied powers would participate in peace treaties for the Balkans, Italy and Finland, or only those which were signatories to specific armistices.

"An agreement could not be reached between the three foreign ministers," Mr. Bevin said. "They referred the matter to the three heads of government and they took the same view."

Prime Minister Attlee said the British government had kept in close touch with the United States on the subject of atomic power and was "pursuing our own studies through the advisory committee" which he created recently to study atomic power.

Responding to a question, he promised a more detailed statement later. He added:

"In this matter, we want to keep in closest possible contact with our friends in the United States and Canada."

The United States spent \$2,000,000 developing the bomb. No estimate of the expense to Britain and Canada has been published.

(See story "Bevin States," page 2.)

Russia Reported
Seeking for Peace

MOSCOW (AP)—Diplomatic observers took the view today that the Soviet Union is taking steps to mend the breakdown of the foreign ministers' conference in London following prominent display in the Moscow press of an exchange of messages between Foreign Commissar Molotov and Foreign Secretary Bevin of Britain.

Initiative in the correspondence, which on both sides stressed a desire for Allied collaboration for world peace, was taken by Mr. Molotov, who expressed confidence that British-Soviet collaboration would "overcome temporary difficulties." His use of the word "temporary" was viewed as significant.

Mr. Bevin replied that although difficulties might be encountered, "the cause we serve is so compelling that no effort must remain unspared in the pursuit of the high aim."

General opinion among observers was that these remarks heralded a swing back toward further co-operation and consultation.

Since his arrival here Sunday, Mr. King has talked at length with Prime Minister Attlee and Dominion Secretary Viscount Addison on matters of commonwealth interest. Indications are that he will remain in London about two weeks before going to the continent to see the Canadian occupation forces.

After 10 days on the continent, he probably will return to London for several days, but the length of his stay depends upon developments.

It is understood subjects of general interest are being reviewed in current talks. British ministers today were engrossed in parliament's opening and Mr. King is expected to have talks with other Dominion representatives here.

Witness and Accused



Dora Szalfrow, above, a Polish girl, was one of the thousands tortured at the Belzen prison camp, but unlike thousands more she lived to tell about it. She testified at the trial of Josef Kramer and 44 others now being held in Luenberg.



Dr. Fritz Klein, above, a Romanian S.S. physician, is one of those on trial at Luenberg. He is charged with having injected the prisoners at the camp with poisons.

Arthur S. Denny,
Business Leader,
Dies Suddenly

One of Victoria's leading business men, Arthur S. Denny, president and founder of the Standard Furniture Co., died suddenly Monday night at his summer home in Brentwood, from a heart attack.

Mr. Denny, who was 67, came to Canada from England at the turn of the century with the Royal Engineers, and established the Standard Furniture Co. in Victoria in 1912. His first business venture was in New Westminster.

His two sons, Thomas Denny and Roy Denny, are carrying on the business; both having recently obtained discharge from the navy. Cmdr. Thomas Denny was discharged in September of this year, and Lieut. Roy Denny in December of last year.

In addition he leaves his wife, the former Miss Roletta May Grant of Comox; a daughter, Mrs. W. A. Stenner also of Victoria; five grandchildren; a nephew, Robert Anova, who is a member of the firm, and five brothers and five sisters all in England.

Mr. Denny was a member of the Kiwanis Club and the Chamber of Commerce.

The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 from St. Mary's Church. Thomson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Britain to Retain
Emergency Powers

LONDON (AP)—The British Labor Government intends to retain wartime emergency powers possibly for five years, Home Secretary James Chuter Ede disclosed in the House of Commons today.

His statement came soon after the House had reassembled to tackle its big budget of work, ranging from the economic problems of postwar trade and reconstruction to the problems of peacetime foreign policy.

Mr. Ede reminded members that the present Emergency Powers Act would expire Feb. 24, 1946. He announced the government would introduce legislation as soon as possible to maintain "the necessary residue of power over the transitional period."

Weather Forecast

Victoria and Vicinity—Wednesday: Light winds, becoming moderate in afternoon; fair with light fog and haze in early morning.
Monday's Temperatures—Min. 49; Max. 74. Sunshine: 9 hours 42 minutes.
Temperature noon Tuesday, 57.

Timber Fire Does
\$200,000 Damage
At Kapoor Camp

Fire swept through enough timber to have made \$200,000 worth of badly-needed lumber, before loggers brought it under control today in the short, deep valley of Three Mile Creek, 10 miles from Shawnigan Lake.

First discovered Monday morning, the fire creating its own intense draught, in the funnel-like ravine; spread rapidly to consume more than 1,000,000 feet of timber piled in a cold deck and more than 3,000,000 feet still standing.

The blaze was attributed to hunters. The Kapoor Lumber Company, in whose holdings the fire raged, had no slash fires in the area where the fire started.

IN THREE DIRECTIONS
Sweeping from the foot of the ravine, the fire spread up steep hillsides in three directions, despite efforts of the Kapoor Lumber Company crews to check it.

Jagat Mann, supervisor of operations for the logging company, flew from Vancouver to direct the fire-fighting. At the height of the blaze, Mann risked his life to rescue a fire-fighting truck from a flames-swept hillside, driving it through blinding smoke and searing flames to safety.

But efforts to save a \$16,000 Diesel donkey engine and its \$30,000 rigging at the cold deck, were unsuccessful.

By evening the fire had reduced the cold deck to a pile of ashes. Flames swept from tree-top to tree-top fanned by their own draught, so brightly that Constable Bobby Ross of Provincial Police at Shawnigan Lake said he had been able to drive his car along the tortuous portion of the Port Renfrew Road above the valley without lights.

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New Premier of Japan... Baron Shidehara.

Injuries Fatal

Clark H. Hutson, 2511 Turner Street, died early today in St. Joseph's Hospital from injuries received when he was struck by a streetcar on Esquimalt Road, near Fraser Street.

Esquimalt Police removed Mr. Hutson from the scene of the accident to the hospital. He died soon after entering hospital. According to police, who investigated, he was struck by a west-bound streetcar, operated by Russell MacDonald, 1400 Fairfield Road, shortly before midnight.

An inquest will be held.

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Golf's Big Guns Play at Seattle

SEATTLE (AP)—The vanguard of the country's great golfers, including Jimmy Hines, who won the \$10,500 Tacoma open Sunday, arrived here for the start of Seattle's 10,250 open Thursday. An estimated 100 professionals and amateurs are expected to hit the 72-hole trail at Broadmoor. Pte. Bob Hamilton, fourth-place winner at Tacoma, is expected to be among them. He did not know Sunday whether he would get

Correspondent in Palestine Hears Two Factions' Views

By PAUL "ABORI"
JERUSALEM (Reute.)—I watched recently as police swiftly and efficiently roped off a section of busy Ben Yehuda Street, stopping and questioning passers-by. One small Jew with a wife and five children three times tried to cross the street to reach the bus terminal opposite. Each time he was stopped.

In some way he symbolized the Palestine problem and the bewilderment of the Jews at their treatment by the British labor government, from which they expected improved conditions.

The British white paper limiting immigration to Palestine to 75,000 Jews from 1939, still is in effect. Originally it was intended to cover a five-year period, but the time limit was extended.

For the last six days I have roamed through Tel Aviv and Jerusalem and talked to Arab and Jewish leaders and men in the street.

Canadian-born Dr. Joseph, deputy head of the political department of the Jewish Agency, who in the absence of Jewish leaders in London is top spokesman for the Jews, said:

"We can absorb 100,000 immigrants in a month not in a year," he said.

Dr. Joseph denied Russia had banned Jewish emigration from her zone and said hundreds of Jews were on the way from Romania and Bulgaria with legal exit and entry permits.

The Arab view was put to me by two distinguished leaders who, however, insisted on remaining anonymous if they were to speak frankly.

For three hours they expounded the Arab view. This was stern and uncompromising and rather more emotional than based on reason.

The younger Arab said: "It is regrettable the Jews should suffer in Europe after suffering persecution for more than a decade, but this is not our fault and the Arabs cannot accept disadvantages because the Nazis persecuted the Jews."

The other Arab leader said: "Arab unity was never stronger and prompt action will be taken if any unjust concession is made to the Jews. The only solution is a complete ban on immigration until a just settlement is worked out."

time off, but reports from Fort Lewis today said he would be present.

Jimmy Shriver, long-hitting former Spokane amateur now living in Seattle, may be on deck to contest the home town's Harry Givan for Simon pure honors.

Not present today were Ben Hogan and Sam Snead, who are scheduled to play a charity exhibition at Vancouver, B.C., returning to Seattle in the evening.

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U.S. Hired 500,000 Men to Work On A Bomb Without Describing Job

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE
Associated Press Science Editor
OAK RIDGE, Tenn. (AP)—The atomic bomb project here, in plant construction alone, was equivalent to building one Panama Canal each year for three years.

The project was in three parts, science, industrial fabrication and the United States army. The army's job was to make the project go, to keep on schedule, finish in time to win, with a working force that finally numbered about 500,000, bigger than any great company's payroll, and all secret.

Headman of the "go" phase was Maj. Gen. Leslie R. Groves. Chief deputy was Col. Kenneth D. Nichols. Two women probably knew the inside. One was Miss Virginia Olsson of Calais, Maine, secretary of Brig. Gen. Marshall who first headed the project, and afterward, through-out, for Col. Nichols. The other was Mrs. Jean O'Leary, Gen. Groves' secretary.

Gen. Groves probably felt like the Lone Ranger when it felt to him to decide that plutonium, the new explosive metal, should be made out of common uranium.

Plutonium was number four among the ways to get the material for a bomb. There was at first some doubt whether to proceed down that fourth road. But the decision was to take no chances, to do the maximum, and it paid handsomely.

Actually, all four methods ultimately succeeded.

Gen. Groves is called soft-spoken by many. But he drove hard. By the anecdotes, he had a formula.

In conference he would ask the

earliest date a project could be completed.

"July 1," might be the reply. "July 1 nothing," would say the general. Then, laying a big hand on the table—"you will get it done by March 1."

If Gen. Groves was the go man, Col. Nichols was the do man. He is medium height, blond, 37, magnetic, always courteous and with time for his men.

He has traveled 100,000 miles a year each year. This is because of letters which could not be mailed. He went to New York and to other places as his own mailman. Only he and Gen. Groves had full access into various phases of the project and Col. Nichols says there were a few closed even to him.

Probably nobody ever before had to hire 500,000 men without telling them what the job was for. Plain patriotism finally was the winning card. But there were rough times. Many a man who was informed that he could be told only that his work was important asked: "Who says so?"

"Secretary Stimson."

"Got that in writing?"

FREQUENTLY USED LETTER

The fact is that having it in writing became so important that the Stimson letter was used in difficult situations.

Last August, just before Hiroshima bomb was dropped, one of the great engineers reported to Col. Nichols:

"I've finished my work. . . . I've spent four years. I think I'm pretty good, but I can't help but wonder whether I was right—whether it will be in time. Do you think I made a mistake?"

"No," was the answer, and that was all, until he read the news a few days later.

Bevin States Moscow Dictated Molotov's Stand

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Attlee spoke today at the first sitting of the House of Commons, convening after a six-week recess in the House of Lords instead of its own bomb-torn chamber. The big job ahead of the new government was that of gearing Britain to a peacetime economy, he said.

Foreign Minister Bevin told the House he had suggested at the opening of the recent foreign ministers' conference that it would be better if all five representatives could participate in all discussions, even on matters relating to the peace settlement. Power to take decisions would be confined to members whose government had signed the relevant terms of surrender.

James F. Byrnes, U.S. Secretary of State, had taken the same view. Foreign Commissar Molotov of Russia had agreed on the understanding that decisions should be taken only by delegations representing governments who were signatories.

Mr. Bevin added: "I was therefore surprised when Mr. Molotov told Mr. Byrnes and myself on the morning of Sept. 22 that we had violated the Berlin agreement and that he could not agree to continue discussions on the peace treaties under the procedure which we had been working with for 10 days."

In the earlier stages, "Mr. Molotov seemed to agree with us and we never thought otherwise, but he told us later that his new attitude was taken up on the instructions from his government."

Summing up, Mr. Bevin said "a return to normal and happy conditions in Europe to which the peace treaties must be the first step is what the world is waiting for. The temporary breakdown will, I hope, lead to the further discussion of these matters on the basis of what is best for permanent peace, because I am sure that is what the whole world wants."

Mr. Bevin said he was confident that given time and patience and understanding of each other's difficulties present divergences and others which might reveal themselves would be overcome.

Louisville Scores Win Over Newark

NEWARK, N.J. (AP)—A one-two home run punch by Frank Genovez and Earl Browne in the fifth inning gave Louisville a 4 to 2 verdict over Newark's International League Bears Monday night in the first game of the little world series witnessed by 14,624 paying fans.

George Diehl, stylish right hander, turned back the home club with six hits, giving up round trippers to Hal Douglas and Phil Weintraub for the only Newark scores.

Short score: R. H. E.
Louisville . . . 4 9 2
Newark . . . 2 6 1
Batteries—Diehl and Walters; Moore, Farmer, Maldovan, Makosky and Van Grofski, Steinecke.

Returning Home



David Raynsford Monk, son of Lt. Col. and Mrs. T. B. Monk, 1557 Yale Street, is expected home next week after four years of overseas service in the army, including service in Italy, Sicily and Holland. He was employed in the provincial forestry branch before the war.

New Benefit Ordered For Soviet Veterans

MOSCOW (AP)—The Soviet government ordered new benefits today for disabled veterans and the families of war casualties.

All overdue payments on agricultural taxes, wage insurance and agricultural dues to the state will be wiped out for families of men killed or seriously wounded.

Children of soldiers killed or disabled will be given free education from the eighth grade through higher schools and technical institutions.

State banks were ordered to grant five to 10-year loans of 5,000 to 10,000 rubles (nominally about \$1,000 to \$2,000) to disabled veterans and families of war casualties who desire to build homes. Free timber also will be provided. The order directed 10 per cent of all new dwellings must be set aside for demobilized soldiers, disabled veterans and families of casualties.

Japs Hypnotized Sick To Save Anesthetics

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Patients needing minor surgical and dental operations while interned in a Japanese prison camp were hypnotized in order to save the camp's small store of anesthetics for major operations, an Aneta, Dutch news agency, dispatch from Singapore said Friday night.

MacArthur Lifts Military Censorship

TOKYO (AP)—MacArthur's headquarters today announced immediate discontinuance of military press censorship. Authorization to lift or retain censorship in Japan and Korea had been received from the U.S. War Department, the announcement said.

C.C.F. treasurer really needs fighting money, 648 Yates, ***

Receives Award



Capt. Harold Dixon Francis, 1050 Southgate Street, is one of 18 Victoria and Island personnel to whom Mention in Despatches has been awarded, according to an announcement from National Defense Headquarters, Ottawa.

The award also has been made to Maj. Gen. (Acting Lt. Gen.) Charles Foulkes, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., Foul Bay Road; Major (Acting Col.) Patrick Cameron Rooke, Cobble Hill; Lieut. John Stanley Garrett, 1737 Hampshire Road; WO. 2 Harold J. Johnson, Nanaimo; Sgt. Harold Joseph Ives, Comox; Gnr. T. M. Weymer, Villiers; Spr. J. E. Wilson, 320 Walker Avenue; Cpl. J. E. MacDonald, 720 Wilson Avenue; Sigm. E. V. Ramsden, 90 Linden Avenue; Capt. Kenneth Stuart Corsan, 866 Newport Avenue; Lieut. Charles Malton, 302 Moss Street; Sgt. Vincent P. Weber, Shawinigan Lake; Capt. Frederick John Pattison, 706 Pine Street; Lieut. Margaret J. Coutts, 71 Wellington Avenue; Maj. Robert Alexander Mitchell, Victoria; Capt. Charles Belmont Newman, Colquitz; and Maj. Charles Stanhope Fraser, 2583 Thompson Avenue.

MacPhail Faces Assault Charges

BEL AIR, Md. (AP)—Police Chief Raymond Fulker of Bel Air said that Leland S. (Larry) MacPhail, president of the New York Yankees baseball club, posted bail of \$554 Monday after he had been arrested on warrants containing two charges of assaults and one of disorderly conduct.

Fulker said the charges were preferred as the result of an altercation which he said happened in the telephone company's office last Friday.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A musical concert of very select and classical reproduction will be held at Woodworth Hall, 857 Pandora, on Oct. 9, at 8 p.m. Music lovers will appreciate this at only 50c admission. ***

Court Maple Leaf, A.O.F., silver tea and sale of work at Mrs. M. J. Fenerty's, 1784 Denman St., Thursday, Oct. 11, 2:30 p.m. ***

Championship Dog Show, Crystal Garden tomorrow. Judging 11 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Admission 25c. ***

Coalition meeting at McMorran's, Cordova Bay, Wednesday, 10th, at 8 p.m. Hear Hon. N. W. Whittaker. ***

Dr. B. E. Knapp, physician and surgeon, formerly of Manville, Alberta, and Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, has opened offices in the Stobart Bldg., next to Standard Furniture, Yates St. Office phone B 1621; residence G 8896. ***

Dr. C. R. Salsbury, late surgical specialist, R.C.A.M.C., announced the opening of an office at 303 Stobart Building, for the practice of general and orthopaedic surgery and diseases of the nervous system. A few general calls will be accepted if your own physician is not available. Phone: Office B 1621, residence B 1366. ***

Dr. Stanley Jones: "Abundant Living." This book may be purchased at the Marionette Library, 1019 Douglas St., E 1012. ***

For jobs, homes, security, send fighting money to Esquimalt riding campaign fund, Chas. Jones, 481 Fraser Street, Esquimalt, or W. Bomford, Shawinigan Lake. ***

Hear Martin Neilson, Saanich C.C.F. candidate, and Murray Bryce, a Victoria C.C.F. candidate, Tuesday, 8:15, C.J.V.I. ***

Hear Mrs. Trew, M.L.A. from Saskatchewan, and Harry Webber, Esquimalt C.C.F. candidate, at Queen of Peace Hall, Old Esquimalt Rd., tonight, 8:30 p.m. ***

Hear A. A. McLeod, Labor Progressive M.L.A. for Ontario, Tuesday, 8 p.m., K. of P. Hall. ***

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U.S. Officials See Hope of Settling Coal Mine Strike

NEW YORK (AP)—The United States government today was hopeful of success in ending its biggest postwar labor dispute—spreading soft coal strikes affecting some 177,000 workers from more than 675 mines.

Settlement of the 19-day-old coal shutdown in six states would shave the strike lines in the U.S. materially. Current disputes across the country kept about 425,000 men and women away from their jobs. A decrease of more than 125,000 from last week's 1945 high of 550,000.

The critical situation in the coal fields received the most attention from the government. Labor Secretary L. B. Schwellenbach said "progress" had been made in conferences with John L. Lewis, United Mine Workers' president, and bituminous operators.

The shutdowns, stemming from strikes by a union of foremen and supervisory employees in a dispute over collective bargaining, have forced 73,000 miners from pits in West Virginia; 57,000 in Pennsylvania, 26,500 in Kentucky, 8,000 in Tennessee, 8,000 in Ohio and 5,000 in Indiana.

DOCKS TIED UP

There was no indication of settlement today of the strike of an estimated 35,000 to 60,000 New York dock workers and the continent's busiest port was jammed with unmoored freight.

There was tense feeling in Hollywood movie lots after Monday's outbreak of violence in which seven persons were hurt when non-striking movie workers crossed A.F.L. picket lines. The strikers were summoned back to picket line duty again today.

In Detroit, a series of small work stoppages kept around 4,000 idle, but there were no large labor stoppages in the motor city.

More than 300 lumber and sawmills in the Pacific northwest were shut down as the 61,000 A.F.L. workers started their third week on strike for a \$1.10 hourly minimum. A union spokesman said the union would ask carpenters throughout the country to refuse to handle "hot" lumber if such action was necessary "to win our fight for decent wages."

Hear A. A. McLeod, Labor Progressive M.L.A. for Ontario, Tuesday, 8 p.m., K. of P. Hall. ***

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Cabinet Maker	Body and Fender Men
Seaman (deckhand)	Shingle Packer
Baker	Construction Tradesmen:
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Sawmill Hands	Carpenters and Painters
Jewelry Repairman	Construction Laborers
Bench and Lathe Machinist	Sash and Door Man
Chef, Cooks and Cooks' Helpers	Floor and Furniture
Shipwright	Polishers
Cold Fireman	Shoe Shiner and Dyer
Watchmaker	
Laundry Foreman	Wanted Elsewhere
Glassworker and Glazier	Coal Miners
Machine Operator (dry cleaning)	Coal Mine Laborers
Fish Cutter	Hard Rock Miners
Hoffman Presser	Tinsmith
Furniture Spray Painter	Butter Maker
	Foundry Workers
WOMEN	
Wanted at Victoria	
Cooks	Hairdressers
Seamstresses	Pressers and Spotters
Alteration Hands	Hospital Workers
Sales Clerks	Waitresses
Laundry Helper	
Milliner	Wanted Elsewhere
Fish Packers	Manageress (Ready-to-wear)
Kitchen Help	Typist (Lumber Camp)
Messenger Girls	Stenographers

Every Local Office of the National Employment Service offers employment opportunities, both in its own area and from other districts in Canada.

If able to fill any of the jobs here listed, or if seeking employment, contact your nearest Local Office.

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100	17.35	10.84	9.17	\$7.49	
150	25.93	16.27	13.75	11.24	
200	34.51	21.69	18.34	14.95	
250	43.09	27.12	22.93	18.66	\$17.47
300	51.67	32.55	27.52	22.27	21.18
350	60.25	37.98	32.11	25.88	24.79
400	68.83	43.41	36.70	29.49	28.40
450	77.41	48.84	41.29	33.10	32.01
500	85.99	54.27	45.88	36.71	35.62
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Trails Along Nature Trails," Mr. Bird of Regina, through the medium of his camera, took the audience to within three feet of birds and their nests. He showed their feeding and eating habits and filmed the beauty of their color and grace.

Ward 3 residents should hear Ald. F. G. Mulliner of the school board and Mr. W. T. Straith tonight at 8 in Oaklands School. Robert Dewar in the chair. ***

Parliament Makes Slow Start At Work of Session

OTTAWA (CP) — Parliament, lagging behind its usual pace in handling the country's business, reopened this afternoon after the Thanksgiving holiday facing a heavy week's work, topped off by presentation of the budget next Friday.

Its immediate task is continued consideration of the government's war expenditure and war demobilization bill calling for \$1,365,000,000 for seven months' expenditures.

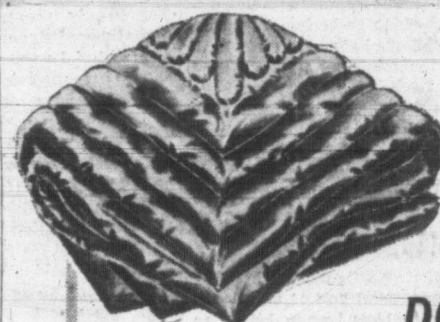
Although Finance Minister Isley already has warned there should not be too much expectation about the size of tax reductions the budget might contain, this is the very point awaited with most interest by income tax payers and businessmen who hope to find a measure of relief from heavy wartime financial imposts.

It is generally anticipated the budget will contain some relief for personal income tax payers, particularly those in the low income brackets and some estimates have placed this reduction in the vicinity of 10 per cent. It is also expected there will be some move to reduce taxes which act as a curb on business, such as the 100 per cent excess profits tax and the corporation tax.

Canadian Club Hear Bird Lecture

A flock of seagulls on the bald prairie, a white pelican in flight and a house-hunting flicker were but a few of the birds filmed by Dick Bird, photographer and naturalist and shown to members of the Canadian Club, during the course of an illustrated lecture Friday.

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Housing Demand Still Outstrips Materials, Labor Supply In Canada

By DOUG HOW
OTTAWA (CP) — Canada's critical housing shortage hinges today on a bitter race between demand and supply with—so far—the demands of perhaps the greatest building boom in history persistently outstripping efforts to find enough labor and materials to meet them.

Born of five years of war-shifted populations and diverted manpower and building materials, it is a situation which has no magic answer.

Harassed by a clamor from every corner of the country, the government can only lay emphasis on the basic factor that "there is a straight physical limitation—every man available, every bit of material available, is being used."

ALL ACROSS COUNTRY

From the varied departments concerned in this capital, itself still drastically short of homes, come these statements on a shortage that pinches as much the towns of New Brunswick as the cities of Victoria, Vancouver and Winnipeg.

1. In all probability there still will be a housing shortage a year hence.

2. Rid of all restrictions, now getting every possible governmental help, the labor and supply markets are lifting themselves from the bleak levels of wartime, but the terrific building backlog rooted in the depression and in the war, consistently outstrips them both.

3. The pressure inherent in that backlog will last a "long time"—nobody here will flirt with even rough estimates on the time factor—but Reconstruction Minister Howe said recently: "I am confident that within the next few months the difficulties builders are meeting will be largely overcome."

4. Certain building materials, particularly hardwood flooring and finishing lumber, will "remain scarce for some time," but the "key to increased production rests in the flow of labor."

COSTS HIGHER NOW

Considered first in importance in allotting men and materials—now costing 35 per cent. over all more than in 1939—are low cost, low rental homes especially for veterans and "until private capital can undertake their construc-

tion" Wartime Housing Ltd. will try to do so.

Behind them come "reasonably priced homes for sale to veterans" under Finance Minister Isley's plan of integrated housing developments.

Only small houses and "industrial expansion promising substantial continuing employment" are being granted building permits freely.

Hore Belisha Pays Visit to Canada

QUEBEC—Leslie Hore Belisha, Great Britain's Secretary of State for War at the beginning of World War II, is visiting points in Quebec and Ontario on what he terms "a leisurely tour of part of Canada, a country which made an enormous contribution in the war."

Accompanied by his tall, dark-haired wife, he went from here by C.P.R. to Montreal, and will go to Ottawa and Toronto, journeying to New York and from there to South America.

Arriving at the Chateau Frontenac here Saturday night after disembarking from the Ss. Bayano, Mr. Hore Belisha disclosed his first visit to Canada had no official significance.

The former War Minister was defeated in the last British general election after representing the seat of Devonport for 22 years. He held the War Office portfolio from 1937 to 1940.

Chinese Communist Official Assassinated

CHUNGKING (AP)—The secretary-general of the Chungking Communist Party office, Li Shao-shih, was shot and killed Monday night in an automobile after having escorted a friend home, authorities said.

Li's chauffeur was reported to have vanished after having taken Li to a hospital, where he died.

The chauffeur was said to be an employee of Communist headquarters, which technically are known as headquarters of the 18th Group Army.

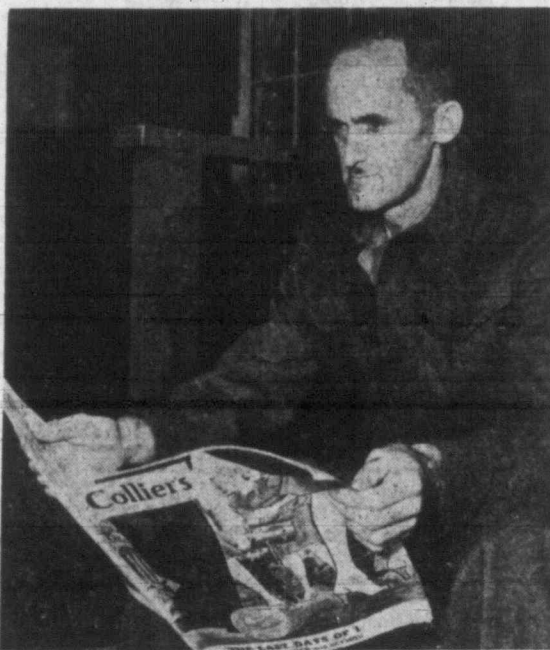
Li, 39, was the husband of Cynthia Lee, who is connected with the China Defence League. Her father, Liao Tsung-kia, a left-wing disciple of Sun Yat-sen, was assassinated at Canton in 1925.



Mrs. H. E. Mayberry, 1654 West 6th Avenue, Vancouver, came to Victoria to greet her husband, Pte. Mayberry, who was with headquarters "C" Force at Hongkong. He crossed the Pacific aboard the U.S.S. Ozark which docked at San Francisco early last week.



Sgt. Howard Naylor of Victoria took time out at Gordon Head to catch up on the news in the big lounge provided for the repatriates. He said that despite four years in a Jap prison camp he was seriously thinking of staying in the army.



Sgt. C. O. Woodhead sitting on the steps of the Gordon Head reception centre shortly after his arrival there Friday with fellow Canadians released from Jap prison camps. His parents live at 821 Princess Avenue.

B.C.E.R. Stresses Resources of B.C.

A nationwide advertising campaign, based on the appeal of British Columbia's basic industries as offering vast opportunity for further development to eastern industrialists, was launched this week by the B.C. Electric Railway Company.

Sponsored by the company's industrial development division, the campaign includes a series of nine advertisements dealing with the natural resources of the province which will be placed in nationally-known publications.

Each of the advertisements is headed with the caption,

"Business Is Moving to B.C." and in the written material the advantages of establishing industry in this province are pointed out. The ramifications of the lumbering and fishing industries, with the opportunities they present, the excellent climate of the province, the availability of hydro-electric power and the shipping facilities for trade to Australia and the Orient are among the subjects dealt with.

The campaign has received the unanimous endorsement of government officials and business executives of Victoria and Vancouver.

Hon. E. C. Carson, Minister of Tourist Trade and Industry, expressed complete approval of the plan, which is closely allied with the work of his department.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Official Agents appointed for the Candidates nominated for the Saanich Electoral District at the forthcoming Provincial Election are:

- Mr. E. E. Bell, 3385 Whittier Avenue, Saanich. Acting for Mr. Norman W. Whittaker (Coalition Party)
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- Mr. G. T. Greenwell, 3701 Quadra Street, Saanich. Acting for Mr. William B. White (Labour Progressive Party)
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B.C. Army Men Coming Home On H.M.C.S. Crescent

SOUTHAMPTON, Eng. (CP)—Canada's newest destroyer, H.M.C.S. Crescent, will carry a group of Canadian soldiers when she sails Tuesday for Esquimalt.

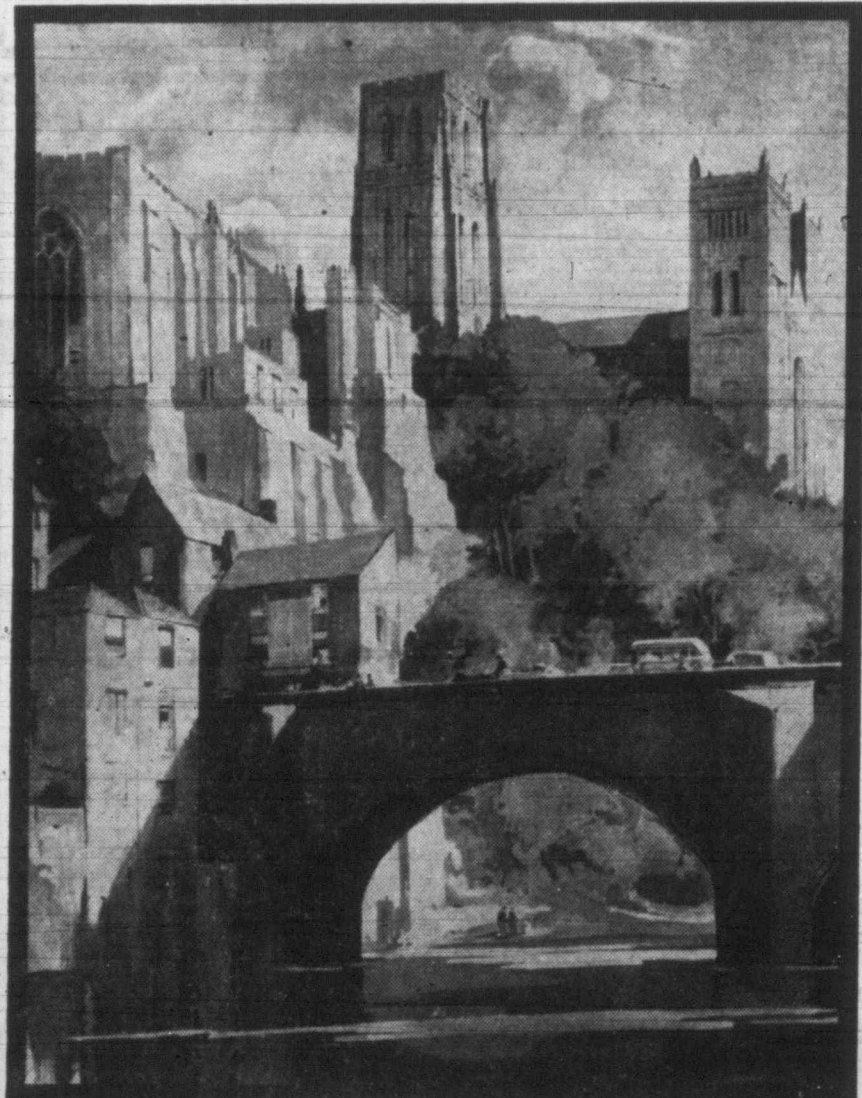
Lt. Col. C. J. Foran of Ottawa, Canadian embarkation commandant for the south coast ports, said about 30 B.C. army men will be aboard the Crescent on its long journey via the Panama Canal.

The army personnel will be mainly men returning home on compassionate grounds.

The Crescent was warmly welcomed last Tuesday when she paid an official visit to the Channel Island of Jersey and her crew was welcomed by Lt. Gen. Sir Edward Grasset, Toronto-born lieutenant-governor of the island.

One of the Crescent class destroyers, the Crescent was commissioned at Clydebank, Scotland, last month.

Election issues will be discussed over C.J.V.I. tonight at 10:15 by Ald. Duncan McTavish, president of the Victoria Conservative Association.



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WHEN WILL SIMPLICITY COUNT?

TWO SCIENTISTS YESTERDAY, ONE British and the other American, had something to say about the atomic bomb and its future. Both agreed that to attempt to keep it secret, to use the British phrase, should be regarded as "pure moonshine." Another expert in Washington today tells his compatriots that the large amount of money being allocated to scientific research by the Soviet Union is another indication that Generalissimo Stalin does not propose to allow his country to lag behind in its explorations into the realm of atomic energy.

It may be foolish to worry too much about the sinister prospect of the atomic bomb's utilization in another war—a war which it will be the duty of the United Nations Organization to prevent. But the recent failure of the Council of Foreign Ministers to do what the average peace-loving individual had regarded as a comparatively simple job in connection with the one just finished will stir the lugubrious doubts of the skeptics. And when Rt. Hon. Ernest Bevin, Britain's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, told the House of Commons today that Prime Minister Attlee, President Truman and Generalissimo Stalin had been unable to break the deadlock over "procedure"—which caused that gathering to collapse without practical result—he drew new attention to a species of technical approach which men of intelligence ought to replace by simple peace-seeking formulas.

As we already have observed, it is well that the Council of Foreign Ministers has clearly delineated its areas of disagreement; it may simplify their composition. But discussions at the London gathering which put "procedural" technique before the main business to which the ministers were charged by the Potsdam Declaration to address themselves reminds us of the Disarmament Conference in 1932. Russia's Maxim Litvinoff on that occasion had the effrontery to suggest to the assembled delegates that the best way to disarm was to disarm. He was instantly as unpopular as the man who sang the wrong verse at the community sing-song. So the rest of that long-drawn-out and abortive debate was confined in large measure to the consideration of whether it would be better to blow human beings to smithereens with a six-inch or an eight-inch shell. Why must national leaders clutter up the path toward peace with so many stupid obstacles?

WHERE THE OPPOSITION ERRS

CANADA'S TOTALITARIAN PARTY, known as the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation, is pointing to British Labor's victory as the guiding political star for British Columbians to follow on Oct. 25. Surely if wise old Britain has found it desirable to desert her traditional philosophies, opponents of the Hart-Maitland Coalition argue, the people of this province would be foolish to ignore her example.

It is nevertheless noteworthy that the older subscribers to the "Regina Manifesto" are inclined to pitch their references to the significance of Mr. Attlee's victory in a somewhat minor key. This more mature element of the C.C.F. is sprinkled with experienced campaigners who got their training in the rough-and-tumble of British politics. They do not overestimate a verdict which dismissed the ten-year-old government over which a brilliant statesman-patriot presided—a leader handicapped by the spectres of Baldwin and Chamberlain.

But the younger worshippers at the shrine of "planned economy" ascend to great heights of rhetorical rapture when they gaze across the Atlantic at what they call the workers' government at Westminster—a government that, in their estimation, will free India, relegate every form of imperialism to the limbo, and generally hasten toward the Elysian fields where big business and corpulent capitalists will be as scarce as hen's teeth. These disciples of the militantly-socialist gospel according to the younger Whinch would find less of national and international importance in the substitution of an Attlee for a Churchill if they knew more of Britain's political history and its basic orthodoxy.

An editorial in the current issue of The Saturday Evening Post—a weekly which is given to calling a spade a spade in its periodic and dispassionate discussions of British policy—will not be lost on the senior members of the C.C.F. Even though its truth may disturb them, its logic can evoke no serious challenge. Here is a part of it:

"If some of our left wingers had read more English history and relied less on the vapor from their own boilings, there would have been less indignation among them at the discovery that the Foreign Minister of England acts like the Foreign Minister of England, whether his name be Bevin or Eden. Instead of studying the realities of Britain's postwar international position and what England must do to keep her head above water, the American totalitarian took his view of English politics from such improvisers as Harold Laski. Members of the British Cabinet take turns slapping Laski down, but to our hopeful left wingers the professor outweighs the politicians, in England as here.

"England remained recognizably English as anybody familiar with England would have known it

would. Nevertheless, Mr. Bevin is in a doghouse, labeled 'as bad as Churchill,' because he is playing the part of an English statesman instead of a Bloomsbury pink.

"And even on British domestic policy, American observers are likely to go astray. Socialism as practiced in England may very well turn out to be little more than glorious disaster relief. The average Englishman probably agrees with Sir Stafford Cripps, Labor's President of the Board of Trade, that England requires the co-operation of 'all elements of the economy.' Our American Lefties, in so far as their criticism was sincere and not mere reflections of fellow-traveler spleen, made two mistakes. The first was the error that Hitler made—namely, thinking that England was split by class war and would promptly fall apart under pressure. The truth is, England can be counted on to support a foreign policy in harmony with English interests. One Leftist newspaper expressed shocked surprise that Mr. Bevin is 'as strongly opposed as Churchill to presiding over the liquidation of the British Empire.' . . . Nobody but a political illiterate could possibly have been surprised."

British Columbians in the main are hostile to the idea of a government in this province dancing to the Scott-Lewis tune. And when C.C.F. spellbinders allude with evangelistic fervor to the hot-gospel of apostle Laski they merely advertise their political illiteracy. By another token, incidentally, when Mr. Bevin condemned "all types of totalitarianism equally," he was not defending "Rightists," but human rights, with traditional Anglo-Saxon vigor, as The Saturday Evening Post correctly interprets the British Foreign Secretary's all-embracing castigation. In other words:

"Englishmen act like Englishmen; they have been acting that way for centuries. Churchill rising above Harrow and Bevin rising above the School of Hard Knocks (no tie), when called to assume national responsibility. This simple patriotism is one of the few ancient landmarks that can still be sighted through the murk of these confused times."

So we say to the C.C.F., and particularly to the younger element, the politically immature, the slaves to textbook clichés, that Prime Minister Attlee would not feel flattered by the suggestion that his success at the polls last July 5 was merely another manifestation of the trend reflected by Saskatchewan last year. And improviser Laski, who knows this continent and its political moods and manoeuvres fairly intimately, would probably advise Opposition Leader Winch to drop the analogy like a hot potato.

POLICIES AND FRUITS

THE FRUITS OF TWO CITY COUNCIL policies are becoming apparent in the difficulties of shifting gears from the maintenance-only program of wartime to the urgently-needed, positive, progressive action of a material nature now. The obstacles to speedy reconversion in the civic field, through implementation of postwar plans, is not simply a matter of shaking off the inertia induced by the practice of letting all but essentials go by the wayside. That may be a contributing factor in the delay. But there are more definite checks now holding the transformation back.

In the first place, the City Council rightly decided to hold the jobs and protect the seniority of those who joined the forces. Now the war is over and those men are vitally needed to assist in the change-over. But those who had the ability to gain key positions in the civic service are also, in many cases, the ones whose key jobs in army, navy or air force are keeping them in their respective uniforms to help wind-up the war job. Replacements in the city's employ have been doing good work. However, since they are temporary, they can not be expected to approach with enthusiasm projects of a long-term nature which will scarcely be initiated before they are displaced by returning servicemen.

There is another factor influencing the tardiness in advancing essential programs for rehabilitation. During the war senior men, many of whom occupied posts as departmental heads, reached superannuation age but were retained on a temporary basis in their official capacities. That prevented promotion of those next in line. Now that superannuation is being made effective, the men who step into their shoes must familiarize themselves with their increased responsibilities. Elsewhere that condition was averted by a system under which retiring seniors accepted re-employment on a junior basis, helping out during the war the departments with which they were thoroughly familiar but allowing the next in line to assume seniority. Where that policy was adopted, new department heads will have had the benefit of experience as top men in their branches and will have settled themselves sufficiently in their new posts to be able to plunge into the postwar work without the time loss entailed in readjustment. The policies accepted by the council during the war were considered wise at that time. They do, however, make inevitable a certain drag in the swing to postwar activity. That cannot be helped now. It is evident that patience will be necessary. Reconversion in the civic field cannot be effected by touching a button.

MISUSE OF THE WOODS

CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE POINTS irrefutably to hunters as the cause of several fires starting in the woods at this season of the year. During the week-end, gunshot sounded high in the hills above Shawnigan Lake. In the evening the glow of bush fires marked the place where the hunters had been. Fortunately the absence of wind and heavy night dews averted any substantial spread in the flames. But the conditions were there for a serious outbreak in view of the lack of rain and the hot days. More by good luck than by good management the area burned was negligible.

However, assuming the fires were started by hunters—and there is no reason to believe any others were in that immediate vicinity—the small outbreaks were tangible signs of carelessness. If a man is so irresponsible that he sets the woods alight, has he any right to carry a gun in them?

Walter Lippmann

THE PROBLEM which the Keynes mission has been discussing in Washington is not quite so hard to understand as, say, the new nuclear physics. But I can say for myself that I have been following the subject attentively for at least two years, have heard it explained repeatedly and at length not only by British and American experts from other countries, and yet I do not understand it well enough to write about it clearly in detail. I feel like a man who knows that the world is round but would be stumped if he had to explain why it is not so flat as it looks.

Nevertheless, one thing can now be reported about it which I am sure is true. It is that the real issue in the current negotiations is not what would be the right and wise thing to do. There are no serious differences of opinion about this among the men who are fully qualified to have an opinion. What they are trying to decide, and they are all of them seriously troubled about it, is how far Congress and Parliament, the American public and the British, will permit them to solve the problem.

THE NEGOTIATIONS have called forth a great many estimates about the dollar-sterling exchange position, the balance of payments, the volume of world trade, and the like. The estimates vary somewhat but not seriously. If it were only a question of reconciling them, there is—I believe—no doubt at all that there would soon be an agreement on a comprehensive settlement.

But there are involved in this affair another set of estimates of a wholly different kind. They are estimates by President Truman and Secretary Byrnes of what they think Congress will approve; what the Congressional leaders say they will approve is based in turn on their estimates of what they think the voters will think. The British are in the same fix in relation to the Cabinet and the House of Commons, and the House of Commons and the electorate.

So the sticking point in the negotiation is not on the problem as such and the right solution of it. It is whether the right solution can be explained by the experts to a lay public which on the whole does not understand the subject, and contains some actively prejudiced persons who do not want to have the problem solved.

FOR THESE reasons the two governments will be strongly tempted to look for some partial solution which they suppose will be easier to "sell" than the right solution. That was what was done after the other war, and until those postwar financial arrangements ended in the catastrophe of 1929, they yielded a comfortable political profit to many public men on both sides of the Atlantic. The temptation to repeat is strong. It is so much easier to offer the public what it wants to hear today than to tell it the truth which it will need to know tomorrow. Sufficient unto the day is the soothing formula that gets you by, not the harder one which will get you where you have to go.

Yet I wonder whether there isn't a good remedy for this disease of democratic government—which is recognizable as Gallipoli. Is it not the fact that the people do not like to be fooled when they realize they are being fooled? After all, when public men make a calculation of how much of the truth they can tell the people, how much they must dilute what they know to be right, they are taking a rather low view of the people. No one of us likes to have a low view taken of him. In fact, the calculating public men are saying to themselves that they cannot trust the people, and that they must sell them shoddy pretending it is wool.

THE PRESIDENT has nothing to gain and much to lose by listening to those who would advise him to choose a shoddy solution of this great problem. There is too much at stake. The world where foreign trade is still free, in the sense that it is not as in the Soviet Union a government monopoly, is divided into separate systems—one where the dollar is currency and one where sterling is currency. The sterling area, which is about one-third of the world, cannot trade freely with the dollar area. The reason for this is that in the international money market there is too much sterling which cannot be converted freely into dollars. This is largely a result of the war.

Because of this sterling trouble, people within the sterling area cannot trade, except to a limited extent, with people in the dollar area. If nothing effective is done to unblock trade between the two areas, trade will remain small, difficult, and stagnant in both of them. The solution, it is obvious, must be a reduction of the sterling balances and an advance of dollars. The best estimates seem to be that the sterling debt needs to be cut about 50 per cent and that the dollars needed will be in the order of four to six billion. An international settlement of that magnitude would, it is believed, permit a great revival of world trade. A partial and pretended settlement would produce interminable disputes and a meager trade.

THERE IS NO REASON to suppose that our people would not support a genuine settlement if it were put before them candidly, and then fully and carefully explained and debated. Let no one in authority try to fool our people because he is afraid of them. If he must be afraid of something, let him be afraid of those who want peace so badly that they will not put up with being fooled. Only a genuine settlement is worth proposing and certainly it would be better to plunk for the real thing, even if at first there were strong opposition, than to tinker with some sort of counterfeit which will land us and the rest of the world in another post-war catastrophe.

A MEATY MANIFESTO

From the Vancouver Province

GENERAL approval will be given the program contained in the manifesto of the Coalition government, and to its promise of enlarged aid in education costs, as announced by Premier John Hart. It is a substantial fulfillment of past promises to conserve excess revenues during the war period, for the purpose of expending them on postwar schemes, giving large employment, and on aids for the rehabilitation of war veterans.

Such a manifesto was needed. Administration during the war years won support for the virtues of Coalition government. But governments cannot live on past performances. They must have their eyes on the future. No voter on the 25th need be in any doubt as to what the Coalition plans to do in the near future if returned to office.

In adopting the recommendations of the Cameron Commission on education, the government is definitely and generously coming to the aid of the heavily-burdened municipalities. At a cost of nearly \$10,000,000 a year it will give British Columbians the highest standards of education in the Dominion. It will increase its contribution to the municipalities from 32 per cent to 55 per cent, assuming 50 per cent of the cost of new school buildings and equipment, and paying the employers' share of contributions to teachers' pension funds.

Recognition of the great and growing place occupied by higher education in modern life is given by provision for a \$5,000,000 expansion program for the provincial university. This will make possible the establishment of faculties in law, medicine and pharmacy and provide much-needed additional accommodation.

Fears expressed on the hustings that recent negotiations over the Pacific Great Eastern Railway indicated that the road was to be handed over, with land grants, to private interests, prove unfounded. It is disclosed that the government is negotiating with the Dominion government and the two Canadian transcontinental roads to extend the P.G.E. in to the Peace River district, where it can tap the

grain of that fertile region, haul coal from the Groundhog country and assist in the development of the "new north"—more correctly, central B.C.

Plans for soldier settlement tie in with this development and with the announcement in the manifesto that the Peace River Highway now nearing completion is to be connected with the Alaska Highway.

Chief among the items in the immediate \$30,000,000 postwar program are two sums of \$10,000,000 each—one to be allocated for power development and rural power extensions, and the other for highways. There can be no questioning the need and value of each, or the decision to carry out the recommendations of the Forestry Commission for conservation and protection of our forest wealth.

All in all, it is an ambitious program which recognizes the needs of all sections of society and the over-all need at this time to create useful public works that will give maximum employment to postwar labor. Yet it is happily capable of fulfillment, and happily the province under Mr. Hart in his capacity of Minister of Finance has funds in hand.

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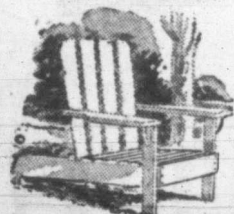
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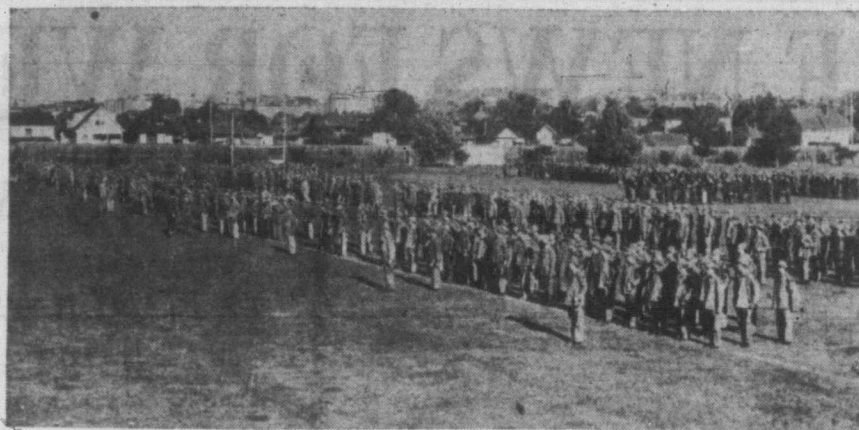
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Pacific Coast Militia Rangers of southern Vancouver Island and the Gulf Islands ended on Sunday at a stand-down ceremony in Macdonald Park, four years of service so highly important that their commanding officer declared it indispensable to any successful plan for the defence of the west coast.

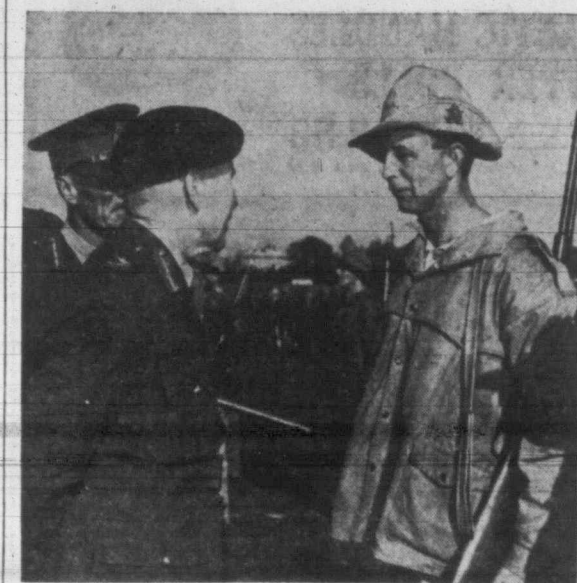
Units of the P.C.M.R. in all districts from Nanaimo to Victoria were represented at the final parade. Leaving the Armories by truck, the Rangers lined up on Dallas Road and marched into Macdonald Park, where they were inspected by Maj.-Gen. F. F. Worthington, G.O.C.-in-C., Pacific Command, accompanied by Maj.-Gen. R. O. Alexander, former G.O.C.-in-C., Mayor P. E. George and Ald. W. H. Davies represented the city at the ceremony. Lt.-Col. Cy Peck, V.C., was on parade as an officer in the Rangers.

Maj.-Gen. Worthington paid high tribute to the work of the Rangers in searching for Japanese balloons, firefighting and providing intelligence concerning the enemy.

"No plan for Pacific defence could possibly have been made without the Rangers," he said.

The Pacific Coast Militia Rangers were organized after "Chuck" Burr and Gordon Sward had approached the executive of the Victoria Fish and Game Association in the summer of 1941 with the idea of forming a guerrilla band among hunters of the lower island. First unit formed was called the South Vancouver Island Rangers.

The unit became known as the Pacific Coast Militia Rangers when it received official recognition. With Lt.-Col. T. A. H.



Maj.-Gen. F. F. Worthington, G.O.C.-in-C., Pacific Command, and Maj.-Gen. R. O. Alexander, former G.O.C.-in-C., inspect a member of the P.C.M.R. Cowichan unit.

Taylor as commanding officer, it became part of the active army. Members were to act as guides and scouts in event of an invasion.

Recruits had to have knowledge, to the satisfaction of the officers, of the district to which they were posted. They built trails, cached army rations, cleared observation points and hid machine guns and ammunition in strategic positions.

The Rangers mapped their districts accurately. They also

underwent intensive training in map reading, demolition, camouflage, flage, guiding and gunnery, given by army experts.

At one time Pacific Coast Militia Rangers' strength throughout British Columbia grew to 10,000 with 4,700 Rangers serving on the island.

More than 800 took part in the stand-down ceremony for the lower part of the island. A similar ceremony is to be held for Rangers north of Nanaimo Oct. 21 at Courtenay.

Jean, M. Green; Cherie, H. M. Young.

Peter Townshend was awarded the Thomas Gilby Perpetual Award, which goes each year to the boy or girl showing best seamanship and club spirit during the season.

Scout News

Scouters Council met when recommendations from the badge committee were discussed and starting of leaders' training courses considered.

A. Diggan has taken over the

Metchozin troop and Mrs. M. Williams the James Bay pack.

Senior troop night stalking was carried out. Advanced first aid was given by District Scoutmaster Ernie Merritt. Equipment and stores were issued to patrols. Next meeting will be Oct. 20. An outdoor stunt is planned for Oct. 21.

Mrs. E. Lewis, A. Vallis, Frank Shandley and E. McIntyre have received provisional warrants as Scouters.

During the clothing drive a number of Scouts were on duty collecting with the army trucks.

Yacht Club Awards Trophies Won During Fine Sailing Season

As the climax of a successful sailing season, active members of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club met at Cadboro Bay Clubhouse Saturday evening for presentation of cups and trophies. The awards went to members who had sailed the winning boats in the series events and long distance races for cruiser class boats.

Presentations were made by Commodore and Mrs. J. M. Green.

Prize winners were as follows.

"A" SERIES

Stars—Longstrein Cup—Mintaka W. T. M. Barrett; Iolanthe, P. Townshend.

Dinghies, Devonian Cup—Penguin, W. Teller; Kismet, H. Gann.

Snipes, Lindsey Cup—Restless, C. Warrender; P.D.Q., C. Corbett.

"B" SERIES

Stars, Ashe Cup—Mintaka, W. T. M. Barrett; Iolanthe, P. Townshend.

Dinghies, George Broome Cup—Penguin, W. Teller; Kismet, H. Gann.

Snipes, Johnson Cup—Restless, C. Warrender; Klatawa, R. Moore.

Lightnings—Ariel, E. Dowell, and Iona, A. MacKinnon, tied.

DISCOVERY ISLAND RACE

Stars, Discovery Island Cup—Mintaka, W. T. M. Barrett.

Dinghies, Chatham Island Cup—Penguin, W. Teller; Kismet, H. Gann.

Snipes, Barnes Cup—Restless, C. Warrender.

LADIES' RACES

Stars—Mintaka, Beryl Blandy.

"X" Class—R. Lipsey.

CREWS' RACES

Stars—Aquila, A. Evans.

Snipes—Restless, B. Warrender.

"X" Class—Mary Wood.

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Construction of the Hope-Princeton Highway, for which contracts totaling \$2,892,586 were awarded last week, will give employment in B.C. to up to 500 men, it was estimated here today.

It is expected the two firms winning the contracts will begin work immediately on the project, second large road-building undertaking by the provincial government since the end of the war in Europe.

Building the 26½ miles from Hope to the Skagit River crossing, one of the most expensive

per-mile construction jobs undertaken in the province recently, will be the Emil Anderson Construction Co. which has undertaken to do the job for \$1,316,477.

This section includes some heavy bridge work.

The other section of the 83-mile job will be built by W. C. Arnott & Co., who have signed up contract to build 56½ miles of road from Skagit Bluffs to Princeton through Allison Pass for \$1,576,109.

Robert Graff, general manager, hopes to have the contract completed within a year. Deadline for both contracts is September, 1947.

While up to 500 men may be employed on the project during

the spring and summer it is expected the contractors may reduce the strengths of their gangs during the winter months.

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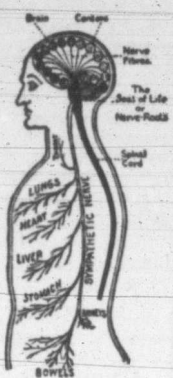
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Tumultuous Reception Given War Veterans Arriving Home

Victoria veterans—members of the Seaforth Highlanders and other regiments—took part in the greatest troop movement Vancouver has ever seen in its history when some 2,000 troops arrived home from overseas Thanksgiving Sunday.

Huge crowds of well over 100,000 people, including Victoria mothers, wives, sweethearts, sisters, brothers and fathers over to meet the fighting men, jammed the streets and depot entrances as the four special troop trains arrived.

To add to the day, British repatriates from Japanese prisoner of war camps arrived from Victoria at the C.P.R. docks at Vancouver, where the crowds, already gathered for their own men, milled down to watch them land.

Brass bands and pipe bands, blaring and skirling for the arrival of the Canadians from Europe, played the British servicemen on to their east-bound trains and their way home.

Two C.P.R. troop trains, carrying Seaforths, reached Vancouver at 2:30 and 2:50 in the afternoon. Among those at the station to meet them was Maj.-Gen. B. M. Hoffmeister, B.C. and Gen. J. A. Clark, in lieutenant-colonel's uniform, and E. W. Hamber, former lieutenant-governor, in the uniform of an honorary lieutenant-colonel.

As the Seaforths started their march up the flag-decked Vancouver streets, veterans of the regiment already returned, some wounded and carried in stretchers, fell in behind.

Victorian Seaforths were paraded with the regiment as well.

Leading the parade were the pipes which had served with the unit and skirled in the battlefields of Sicily, Italy and Germany. Along the route people cheered themselves hoarse and the sound of the cheering could be heard far away. Occasionally a woman broke from the crowd, rushed out to the line of men and kissed them. At one time the crowd became so thick it was necessary to clear a way for the men.

GOVERNOR TAKES SALUTE

Past the barracks at the old Hotel Vancouver, His Honor W. C. Woodward, Lieutenant-Governor, took the salute at a saluting base in front of Hotel Georgia.

The pipes played the Pibroch of Donald Dhu, the regimental march past.

As the parade carried on, crowds fell in behind and enthusiastic children took part in the march.

At last the parade was dispersed at the armories and the waiting families, along with the rest of the crowd, swamped the men in a mad rush. A party was held later in which 10,000 sandwiches quickly disappeared.

Earlier in the day the first of two C.N.R. troop trains arrived with a miscellaneous group of veterans, including Victorians. Shoulder flashes bore identifying letters of the R.C.E.M.E., R.C.O.C., R.C.C.S., R.C.A.S.C., Princess Louise Dragoon Guards, R.C.A.M.C. and C.W.A.C. Gallant little nursing sisters were also with the group.

At 5:10 in the afternoon, the second C.N.R. troop train arrived with another miscellaneous group, but it was an R.C.A. reception. It was the first time the R.C.A. men had returned to the Pacific coast as a unit.

MET THE PORT MAN

A boarding party got in the R.C.A. train at Port Mann and met the veterans. They were on the 15th Coast Regiment.

Lieutenant-Governor Woodward was on hand there, as well, to greet the men. Also welcoming their return were Attorney-General R. L. Maitland, Lt. Col. G. C. Beeston, Lt.-Col. G. Y. C. Crossley and Lt. Col. C. H. Underhill, commanding the 11th A.A. Regiment, only artillery unit at present on strength in Vancouver, which acted as host. A smoker will be held for the men at Bessborough Armories, Vancouver, Oct. 23, and a series of smokers will be held for others returning.

As the crowds milled about the city and families eagerly greeted their men, the radio station issued a plea to Vancouver homeowners to use all available room to take in the visitors who were turned away from one overcrowded hotel after another.

In Victoria, crowds of people were disappointed as they met first the Sunday night boat, then Monday's boats, in the hope of seeing the returning men, but saw only a few of the men get off with their relatives who met them. Packed Vancouver with its parades and homecoming preparations had prevented many from getting the early boats.

'CAP' THORSEN BACK

Among those who arrived in Victoria on the Princess Alice Monday afternoon was Cpl. Roy "Cap" Thorsen, who was on the Times editorial staff before joining up. He was met on arrival in Vancouver by Lloyd Baker,

who was also one of the Times staff before joining R.C.A.F. public relations.

"Spud" Oakes, No. 2 Survey Regt., was met at the C.N.R. station by his cousin, Ralph Seymour, who served overseas with the P.P.C.L.I.

Pte. W. J. Cave, Seaforths, journeyed over with his family. He was met in Vancouver by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cave, his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tanner, and Mrs. V. Hemsworth, his former employer's wife.

Pte. Cave went overseas in March, 1943, and joined the Seaforths in Sicily, and fought right through with the regiment. He was wounded by shrapnel while fighting in the Hitler Line.

He found the people in Holland "wonderful," and spoke of the reception in Amsterdam. Still, "it was great to be back."

He does not yet know what he is going to do, but does know he wants to get out of the army.

Pte. Douglas Reid, who served four years with the R.C.A.S.C., then went overseas a year and four months ago to join the Seaforths at Senio River, was met in Vancouver by his wife, Eleanor, and daughter, nine-year-old Marilyn, who could not keep her eyes away from her father as they traveled on the boat.

WANTED HAIR CUT

He went to the ship's barber shop for a hair-trim before landing, but before long little Marilyn poked her head in the shop to inform him, "I was looking for you, Daddy."

Pte. Reid also enjoyed Holland. "Everyone turned out to see us," he said. Some of them came out three days before we got there to see us. Some brought their beds and food. Amsterdam was especially good."

He was employed by David Spencer Ltd. before joining up, but is hoping to stay in the army longer... with the Seaforths if possible. He liked army life, he said.

FOUND FIGHTING TOUGH

He found the fighting "pretty tough" in Italy. "We got quite a pasting when the 1st Division went out of Italy," he said. However, he added, the Germans were pretty well demoralized at the time he got there, and not all of them fought back much.

He enjoyed the trip across Canada from Halifax. "The Red Cross was very good to us at every stop. We always had coffee and doughnuts." Great crowds waited to greet the troop trains at Calgary and Winnipeg. He liked the parade and the

speeches at the end. They were short, which he liked, he said.

Pte. D. Jennings was met by his wife, Louise. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jennings, live at Cedar Hill Cross Road. He served first of all, with the R.C.E. and joined the Seaforths in Holland in April.

HIT AT SENIO RIVER

Sgt. J. A. Bond said he had no definite plans for the future but was "going to take a look around." His mother lives at 1195 Palmer Road.

Wounded by shrapnel while fighting on the Senio River, Sgt. Bond joined the Canadian Scottish Regiment in 1939, transferred in 1942, went over three years ago and fought with the Seaforths right through their battles, with the exception of Sicily.

"They don't know I'm coming. I'm going to surprise them," said Pte. T. R. Dionne when asked if his parents had met him in Vancouver. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Dionne, live at 1569 Foul Bay Road.

He served overseas with the Canadian Scottish but was cross-posted to the Loyal Edmonton Regiment to be sent home.

Pte. John Smith, Seaforths, was met by his two sisters, Mrs. B. Louis and Miss Sheena Smith, who accompanied him home from Vancouver to his home in Langford.

Cpl. S. Maughan got a great thrill when he saw his two-month-old daughter in his wife's arms for the first time as he arrived in Vancouver.

He was still admiring her when he met his two sons and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maughan, at Victoria. His home is at Colwood. Capt. J. D. Forbes, Royal Welsh

Fusiliers, found it good back here. He was especially pleased with the weather. He was met by his mother who lives at 2144 Brighton Avenue. He was in the occupation of Duesseldorf.

Also on the boat was Sgt. Johnny Middleton, Seaforths, who was accompanied by his mother and sister.

Among others who returned to Victoria Sunday night and Monday were Pte. J. A. Naylor, Gnr. D. Dobie, Gnr. F. J. Luney, Gnr. H. A. Neelands; two brothers, Bdr. A. Shotten and Bdr. A. Shotten; Sgt. F. M. Beale, Gnr. B. R. Benson, Pte. G. Moraes, Pte. R. J. Bisson, Sgmn. E. J. Jack, L.Cpl. D. R. Monk, Cfn. H. L. Norris, Cfn. C. E. Underwood, Cfn. A. J. Redfern, Cpl. K. Dicks and L.Cpl. C. E. Ward.

Soldier Arriving Soon

Word has been received that Pte. S. E. Galt is on his way home from overseas. He has seen action in Italy, where he was wounded, later in Belgium, Holland and Germany with the Seaforth Highlanders and the Prince Edward and Hastings Regt.

Pte. Galt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Galt, 275 Crease Avenue. He was educated in Saanich schools and, prior to enlistment, was employed by the Sunset Farms of Saanichton.

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Emma Roe Bride Of Ldg. Tel. Lind

Rev. W. W. McPherson officiated at the marriage ceremony Friday evening in Oak Bay United Church which united Euphemia "Emma" Foster, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Roe, 1971 Carrick Street, and Ldg. Tel. Allan Edward Lind, R.C.N.V.R., only son of Mrs. G. N. Speer, Edmonton, and the late Mr. Lind. Francis Stevenson presided at the organ, and during the signing of the register, J. Husband sang "Be-cause."

A gown of white slipper satin with a fitted bodice with sweetheart neckline and lily point sleeves was chosen by the bride. Her veil cascaded from the Mary Stuart headdress to the end of her train, and she carried a bouquet of pink roses, white carnations and heather. A strand of pearls completed the bride's ensemble.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Richard Roe wearing pink chiffon. Miss Kay Carson, bridesmaid, was in blue chiffon; little Phyllis Roe, niece of the bride, flower girl, wore a frock of mauve taffeta. The train bearer was Dickie Sinclair, nephew of the bride.

Cpl. Ken Williams, R.C.A.F., was best man and ushering were Richard Roe and James Sinclair, brother and brother-in-law of the bride.

A reception for over 100 guests was held at the Chamber of Commerce Hall with Mrs. Roe and Mrs. James Sinclair receiving the guests. Toast to the bride was proposed by J. B. Roe, uncle of the bride.

Following a honeymoon at Banff, Mr. and Mrs. Lind will make their home in Edmonton. For traveling, the bride wore a blue wool dress with light brown fox-trimmed coat and a corsage bouquet of pink roses and white heather.

Mrs. P. B. Scurrah Honored at Tea

Chapter E, P.E.O., held a tea at the home of its president, Mrs. G. D. Christie, in honor of Mrs. P. B. Scurrah, who has just returned from the Supreme Convention of P.E.O. sisterhoods, held in St. Paul. The rooms were decorated with autumn foliage and flowers and the tea table, centred with a bowl of roses. Refreshments were served by members of the chapter.

During the afternoon a presentation was made to Mrs. Scurrah, who was elected organizer of the Supreme Chapter at the St. Paul convention. Provincial officers living in Victoria, members of the presidents' council and presidents and officers of other P.E.O. chapters in the city were among the guests.

Two American chapter members who are at present visiting in the city were also present, Mrs. M. R. Laird of Wisconsin and Mrs. E. G. Dungan of California.

Ration Coupons

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Personal Notes

Hon. and Mrs. Eric W. Hamber will entertain Thursday at their home in Vancouver honoring Sir Patrick Ashley Cooper.

Lt.-Cmdr. R. F. Astbury, R.C.N. V.R., and Mrs. Astbury have arrived from Vancouver and are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. Neil McNeill, who with her two young daughters has been staying at Langford Lake, has left to live in Vancouver.

Mr. George Milburn left Sunday for his home in Swift Current, after a holiday spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Milburn, Dalhousie, Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Benjamin Louis and Miss Sheena Smith were in Vancouver over the week-end to welcome their brother, Mr. John Smith back from overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McWha, who have been living in Victoria for the past six years, left today for Vancouver and will reside at "Chatsworth."

Mrs. W. C. Woodward will have as her guest at Government House Wednesday, Mrs. John H. Creighton of Vancouver, who will speak to a meeting of the local committee on the Princess Alice Fund, in the afternoon. Later, Mrs. Woodward will be hostess at tea.

Guests staying at the Shawnigan Beach Hotel include Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Owen, Mrs. T. A. Jefferson, Mr. David Jefferson, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rose, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Finigan, Mrs. E. M. Cuppage, Miss Lillian C. Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Hishop, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Reid, from Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. G. Beattie, Miss Iris Wamsell, Miss D. and T. Mulligan, Mr. G. A. Braley, Mr. R. E. Chapman, Portland, Ore., Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Bowles, Mrs. J. H. Seawell, Santa Rosa, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. P. Brennan and daughter, San Francisco.

Quiet Ceremony For Ethel Shrimpton

Rev. T. G. Griffiths performed the marriage ceremony Saturday evening in St. Aidan's Church uniting Ethel May, daughter of Sgt. Maj. and Mrs. P. C. Shrimpton, 1210 Fort Street, and James Arthur Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Edwards, Sinclair Road. Wedding music was played by E. Boorman.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a beige suit with dark brown accessories and a corsage bouquet of dark red roses. Miss Patricia Campbell was the bride's only attendant, wearing a powder blue suit with navy blue accessories and a corsage bouquet of Tailsman roses. Thomas Vye was groomsmen.

A quiet reception was held at the home of the groom's parents, after which the couple left for a honeymoon motoring up-island. They will reside in Victoria.

Club Calendar

Victoria Unit of the Overseas Nursing Sisters' Association, Wednesday, 2.30, Red Cross workroom, Market Building.

St. John's W.A., Wednesday, 2.30, Colwood Hall.

Little Flower Missionary Circle, Parish Hall, tonight, at 8. Senior Subdivision of the Catholic Women's League, tonight, 8, Parish Hall, View Street.

St. Mary's Senior Afternoon W.A., Thursday, 2.30, Parish Hall.

Mrs. A. Roach, diocesan Dorcas secretary, will speak. . . . Victoria unit of the Overseas Nursing Sisters' Association of Canada, Wednesday, 2.30, Red Cross workroom, Market Building.

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Mrs. J. R. Goodman returned Monday to her home, "Blue Bird," 322 Armit Street.

Mr. Ted Bayles spent the Thanksgiving vacation from U.B.C. at his home in Langford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McDonald of Tacoma were among the guests at the Hunt-Rousay wedding Saturday evening.

Mrs. A. J. Doupe and Miss Lily Frew were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Selma Lohr, an October bride-elect. Games and contests were enjoyed and refreshments served. Those invited were Mesdames A. Gillespie, R. E. Lohr, N. Weeks, Misses F. Smith, P. Delamere, L. Young, L. Davies, H. Brietenbach, E. Patterson and F. Lohr.

Many relatives and friends met to honor Mr. and Mrs. G. Parker, 3142 Irma Street, on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Parker were married Oct. 2, 1920 by the late Rev. S. Cook of Fairfield United Church. The bride was formerly Helen Elizabeth Holdridge, coming to Victoria from England in 1911. The groom came to Victoria in 1914 and served overseas for four years in the last war. The couple received many gifts. Games and musical selections were enjoyed throughout the afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Frank S. Stevens, St. Ann Street, entertained with a kitchen shower to honor her future sister-in-law, Miss Jean Beckwith, who will be married this month. Mrs. H. A. Beckwith presided at the supper table. Others present were Mesdames G. A. Vantreight, John Bartholomew, G. H. Stevens, A. E. Evans, Fred Bartholomew, Frank Setchell, C. V. McDonnell, Maurice Foster, Hugh Stephen, Victor Bartholomew, Sidney Vantreight, H. Lester, Horace McClung and Misses Ely Vantreight, Edith Vantreight, Anne Hogg, Sheila Beckwith and Elsie Vantreight.

Major and Mrs. Dickson To Live in Winnipeg

The wedding took place in Washington, D.C., when Lillian Barbara Sweeney, daughter of Mrs. Lillian Sweeney, 1028 Park Boulevard, became the wife of Maj. Neil Wallace Dickson, youngest son of the late W. W. Dickson and Mrs. Dickson of Winnipeg.

Maj. Dickson is attached to the Canadian army staff in Washington and Mrs. Dickson has been on the staff of the British purchasing commission.

Major and Mrs. Dickson will shortly visit the latter's mother in this city and will make their home later in Winnipeg.

Clubwomen

Whist Drive—Elks W.A. entertainment committee announced plans for a progressive whist, Oct. 11 at 8, in Elks Hall Douglas Street. A home cooking stall will be held in Spencer's basement Oct. 19 at 10. Next W.A. meeting will be on Oct. 24, instead of Oct. 25.

First United W.A.—Mrs. R. H. Nash presided at the last meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to First United Church and Mrs. A. H. Cox took the devotional. The W.A. and choir are again sponsoring the junior symphony in a choral and symphonic concert the latter part of November.

Old-time Dances—At a meeting of Victoria Purple Star Lodge No. 104, a committee was appointed to arrange for the regular old-time dances to commence Oct. 6 in the Orange Hall, Courtney Street. Members of the committee are Mrs. V. Keatley, convener; Mrs. E. Bell and Miss I. Noel.

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Hongkong Repats At Supper Dance

Sustained applause rang through the Empress Hotel ballroom when four men of Hongkong attended their first party in four years Saturday evening. The big crowd cheered as Billy Tickle announced the orchestra would play "Rum and Coca Cola" for the quartette, who escorted four uniformed Cwacs to the dance.

Among the Victorians just back from overseas were Lt.-Cmdr. Ian Angus with Mrs. Angus. With their party were Harry Rogers of Vancouver with Mrs. Ian Macdonald and John Nation, who escorted Miss Josephine Dietrich. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fox attended with Cmdr. A. McGillivray and Mrs. Ruth Stubbs.

Miss Betty Jones was dancing with Atholl Sutherland-Brown. Miss Gloria Wilson and Dennis Harris were at a table for four, which included Miss Daphne Graham and Dick Stursberg. Miss Helen Baird, who came from Vancouver for the week-end, was at a table for eight with Miss Catherine Johnson, Bill Ostler, Louis Scott Moncrieff, Lieut. Henry MacLachlan and FO Johnny Hines.

Others noticed dancing included Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Francis, Mrs. Eric Beardmore, Miss Mary Smith, Miss Dorothy Newman and Lt.-Cmdr. J. H. Wade.

Hunt-Rousay Nuptials

The marriage was solemnized Saturday evening at the Douglas Street Baptist Church by Rev. F. W. McKinnon, of Marie, youngest daughter of Mrs. T. M. Rousay, 535 Dupplin Road, and John Francis Hunt, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hunt, 2824 Heath Drive. Mr. Pepper played the organ.

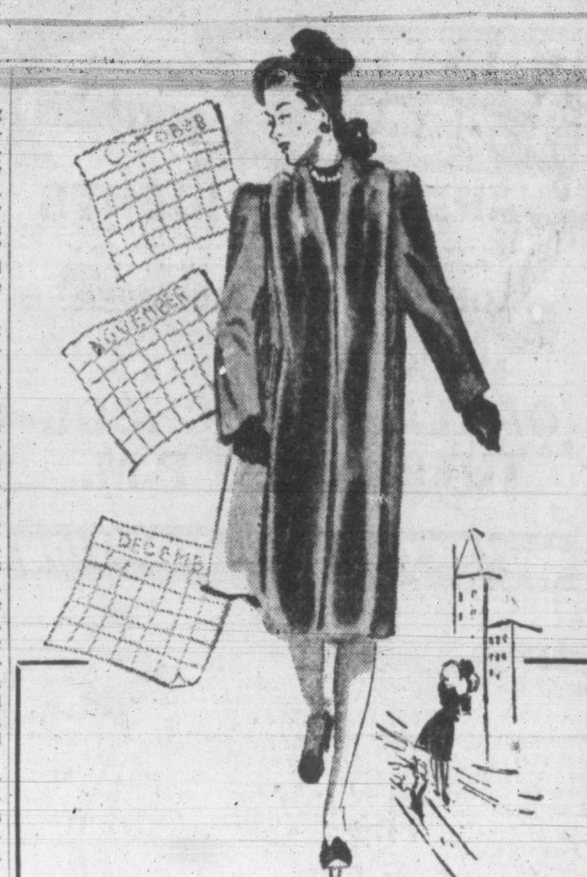
Given in marriage by her grandfather, R. Baxter, the bride wore a wedding gown styled with a white satin bodice and net over taffeta skirt. Her three-quarter length veil, was held with gardenias and she carried a bouquet of carnations and roses.

Twin frocks of white chiffon with long full sleeves were chosen by the bridesmaids, Misses Marion Rousay and Marion Court. They wore white flowers in their hair and carried white carnations and Esther Reid daisies. Robert Hunt supported his brother and Don Thom and Jack Taylor Jr. ushered.

Following a reception at the C.C.F. Hall, Douglas Street, Mr. and Mrs. Hunt left for a honeymoon in Vancouver and up-island. Going away, the bride wore a smoky blue suit, camelhair topcoat, brown accessories and a gardenia corsage bouquet.

Repatriates Honored

To honor five repatriated prisoners of war from Hongkong, the Victoria Welsh Society held a social evening in the Knights of Pythias Hall. Stan Jones presided and introduced the honor guests as follows: J. James, Dennis O'Brien, Tam Black, Trevor Parry and R. Mundy. A musical program was given



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English Studied — Omicron Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, met at the home of Miss Frances Rigby. The program included talks on man's first language and the origin of the English language, followed by open discussion. On the program were Misses Joyce Woodburn, Louise Walton, Darlene Woodburn, Dorothy Duckitt, Virginia De Castro, Doreen Muggford and Hazel Pearson. Next meeting will be held at the home of Miss June Johnson, Oct. 15, at 8. The Ritual of Jewels examination was conducted at the home of Miss Barbara Dawson.

Ex-Servicewomen—Maj. Carl Fallas, Canadian Legion zone representative, presented a charter to the recently-formed Victoria Ex-Servicewomen's Branch No. 182, Canadian Legion, at the first meeting. Officers are Mrs. Ruth Moore, president; Miss Dorothy Woodward, vice-president, and Miss Muriel Scott, secretary-treasurer. Letters of welcome will be sent by the branch to servicewomen during and after discharge. Plans were made for a drive for membership. Members of the branch also made plans for participation in the Remembrance Day parade and in the sale of poppies on Poppy Day.

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Twenty army trucks, manned with a service driver and assistant, Boy Scouts and students scoured the city and Esquimalt, taking the bundles to the Van-

couver Barge Transportation Co. warehouse, where Rotarians sorted and bundled the clothing.

Army trucks which made the fast collection possible, came from the 5th B.C. Coast Regiment, the 27th Anti-Aircraft Regiment and the R.C.A.S.C. Army personnel was directed by Capt. H. T. Scott, Fortress Headquarters.

Saanich will be asked to donate clothing next Saturday and Oak Bay donations will flood in Sunday.

Dorothy Dix

PRAISE AIDS MARRIAGE

When the great majority of girls get married they are simply sloshing over with good intentions. They are going to be like the wife in the Scriptures whose price was above rubies. Like her they are going to see well to the ways of their households and make homes that are a little bit of paradise on earth.

They are going to be crack-jack cooks and managers. They are going to be thrifty and economical. They are going to meet their husbands when they come home from work with a glad, sweet smile. They are going to keep themselves dressed up and be gay and amusing companions. And they are never, never, never going to argue, or whine, or complain.

In short, they are going to be a combination Lady Love, fascinator, chef, household convenience, appeaser and general miracle-worker. And when 15, or 10, or maybe only five years later they have turned into naggers and grouches, and sloppy housekeepers, who make no effort to keep themselves attractive to their husbands, or make them comfortable homes, and who have scrapped every one of the good resolutions with which they started into marriage, we wonder why.

What husbands seldom seem to realize is that they are their wives' public, and that if they never give them a round of applause it takes all of the heart out of them. It makes them feel that they are failures. They can't put any pep into their work if it is going to fall perfectly flat. And so after they have worn themselves out trying to get, at least, a pat on the head in acknowledgment that they have been good little dogs, they give up all effort to please, and just let things slide.

So here's a tip to all husbands: If you want your wife to

have worked their fingers to the bones to keep them soft and easy. They have never even looked at another woman. And, for pity's sake, what more can a wife ask?

And the poor bewildered dears never even suspect that the reason that nine-tenths of the women who slump after marriage and give up trying to please their husbands is because their husbands never give them a word of praise or encouragement, or even notice what they do, unless they are going to find fault with it. And it isn't in feminine nature for women to keep going unless they get the glad hand now and then.

"What's the use," argues a wife, "to spend hours dolling myself up and trying to look pretty for John who never notices how I look any more than if he were blind? Why should I slave over the cooking stove preparing wonderful meals for him, when he will gobble them down without apparently ever noticing what he is eating? Why should I read up and try to be an entertaining companion when he only grunts when I speak to him?"

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So here's a tip to all husbands: If you want your wife to

be a good wife, don't be stingy with your praise. Tell her that she is a great cook and a marvelous financier, and she will be one. Praise her disposition and she will be sweeter than sugar. A compliment a day will keep the divorce lawyer away.

Makes Inspection Of Red Cross Centres

Sir Kerr-Fraser-Tyler, chief delegate of the British Red Cross Mission in Washington, with Lady Fraser-Tyler and his staff, spent a busy week-end in Victoria inspecting arrangements made by the Red Cross for reception of British prisoners of war and civilian internees from the Far East.

During the tour of inspection, Sir Kerr visited Red Cross lodges at Gordon Head and Macaulay Point, as well as the reception centre at Colwood.

The first guests at Colwood are expected to be several civilian internees arriving today on the transport Admiral Hughes. All facilities of the former golf club will be placed at their disposal, including spacious lounges, dining-room, writing and game room, cheery bedroom, and even a hobby room, so that during their stay in Victoria they will forget, for a short time, the four years of horror of Jap prison camps.

Mrs. Hobart Molson, chairman of Red Cross welcome home committee, assisted by Mr. Stewart Clarke, president of the Victoria branch of the Red Cross, and other members of the society.

Maj. A. M. Johnson, junior member of the British Red Cross Mission, is traveling with Sir Kerr and Lady Fraser-Tyler.

Belgian Paper Says Kent Widow to Wed



PRINCESS MARINA

La Libre Belgique, Royalist newspaper, has stated that Regent Prince Charles soon would marry Princess Marina, widow of the Duke of Kent. Diplomatic quarters refused to comment.

Hear Mrs. Trew, M.L.A. from Saskatchewan, and Harry Weber, Esquimalt C.C.F. candidate, at Queen of Peace Hall, Old Esquimalt Rd., tonight, 8.30 p.m. ***

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California Honeymoon For Betty Wilkinson

Elizabeth (Betty) Grace, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George V. Wilkinson, 2509 Vancouver Street, formerly of Prince Rupert, became the bride Saturday evening at Centennial United Church, of Lieut. Norman Thain Engelhardt, R.H.R. of Canada, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Engelhardt, Firwood Lodge, 905 Cook Street. Rev. J. C. Jackson was the officiating minister and Mrs. R. J. Garner was at the organ. While the bride party was in the vestry, Mrs. F. Leech sang "Because."

The bride was given away by her father and chose a wedding gown of white, the bodice of jersey silk featuring a sweetheart neckline and short sleeves. The bouffant skirt was of net and her long mitts were of white lace. A halo of white chrysanthemums held her embroidered chapel veil and she carried an arm bouquet of white chrysanthemums.

Twin frocks of crepe fashioned with low waistlines and full skirts were worn by the bride's attendants, Mrs. R. J. Davidson, in shocking pink and Miss Mary Engelhardt in robin's egg blue. Both carried pink chrysanthemums. Bill Grainger supported the groom and ushering were Len Treloar and Doug Hunter. A reception at the home of the

bride's parents followed the ceremony.

Following a honeymoon in Oakland, Calif., Lieut. and Mrs. Engelhardt will reside at 1608 Quadra Street. Going-away, the bride wore a three-piece powder blue ensemble with wolf collar, brown accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink roses.

Hear A. A. McLeod, Labor Progressive M.L.A. for Ontario, Tuesday, 8 p.m., K. of P. Hall. ***

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Victoria Nature Talks

By ROBERT CONNELL

The morning mists that lie in the hollows and cling to the rocky sides of the hills have cleared away before the sun and

across the blue sky float clouds. The rain of a day or two before has washed the land surface as well as the atmosphere and there is a consequent invigoration of everything that imparts itself to the walker as he passes from the highway to the clearings. A narrow fringe of second-growth timber gives way to the open area where clumps of willow and scattered juvenile trees are mingled with bracken fern or brake, the latter old-fashioned name well expressing its habit of forming brakes or thickets often greatly higher than a man's head. Over a high ridge, where the clearing has been done many years ago for the power-line a winding trail runs along a still drier and barer section. Here the kinnikinnick or bearberry spreads its evergreen mats over the gravelly soil and occasionally reveals its bright red fruit among the leaves. Its Indian name originated in the language of the Algonquins in eastern Canada and the States, and originally meant a mixture for smoking. It was then applied to any smoking material, including our little trailing shrub's leaves, but in the west more particularly to the dried inner bark of the red-osier dogwood. The leaves of the kinnikinnick were believed to be, when smoked, a specific against malaria.

No flowers are to be seen now, but some plants still retain some, thing of their charm. Thus the pearly everlasting still displays very conspicuously its snowy clusters and stems though its prime season is over. The fireweed or willow-herb exhibits the silvery sickness of its opened capsules, while the unopened ones show bright purplish-red above and some reddening leaves below.

LAKELET AND WOODLAND SCENT

A little-used road crosses the trail and brings into view a pretty lakelet under the lee of a precipitous wall of rock. The sky is repeated in the clear and tranquil water with its border of willow and hardhack, and beyond rise the hills in the austerity of their steep and barren sides. And now by the wheel-tracks alder and maple rise overhead, all young growths and still fresh and green. Scouler's willow displays its velvet-lined leaves and grey stems. Juvenile Douglas firs, singly and in small clumps, appear, old enough to display their cones dripping with balsam. The lodgepole pine contributes its part to the scene and occasionally the handsome white pine and the cedar appear. In these young woods with their many open spaces a sweet scent is diffused, not unlike that of the little twinflower in summer, and noticeable even among the mingling of odors from evergreens with their gums and from the leaves of deciduous trees and bushes and herbaceous plants ripening in the autumnal sunshine. It suggests the drying of our achlys or verbenal-leaf, also known very fittingly as "sweet-after-death" because of the pleasing perfume of its dried leaves. But no sign of this plant is to be seen nor is it likely on these dry gravelly slopes. Curiously enough there is a sweet perfume met with in the forest in winter which I have never been able to trace to its origin and which even more strongly suggests the summer beds of twinflower.

Those first cousins of the kinnikinnick, the arbutus, the manzanita, and the evergreen huckleberry are also found on the gravelly slopes. The arbutus is represented by a few quite small individuals, the tallest not more than six feet high. The manzanita is scarcely more plentiful, but its common shrubby habit is well developed and already the flower clusters for early opening next spring are well formed. On the huckleberry the fruits are rapidly ripening.

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Ward 3 residents should hear Ald. F. G. Mulliner of the school board and Mr. W. T. Straith tonight at 8 in Oaklands School. Robert Dewar in the chair. ***

WAR VETERANS' CORNER

82 LOTS PURCHASED

Eighty-two municipally-owned lots have been sold to ex-servicemen in the city and Saanich since schemes to enable veterans to buy lots cheaply were put in

effect. In the city, of 321 lots disposed of since the beginning of the year, 71 have been sold to veterans at 25 per cent of the assessed value. In Saanich seven lots of 100 set aside for veterans have been sold for \$1 each, and four lots have been sold on the basis of 25 per cent off for war service and 10 per cent off for cash.

SHOULD GET ON LISTS

Many servicemen returning to civilian life will wish to vote in

municipal elections this year, some of them for the first time. To do so they must have their names on the voters' lists before the end of October. To be registered they must be British subjects, 21 years old or more, and have lived in the city or municipality since the beginning of the year or prior to enlistment. The name of a property owner or business license holder should automatically be on the list, but if

the license holder's name is not, he can have it put there by going to the city or municipal clerk's office and registering. Those who are still in uniform and qualify as to residence are not liable for poll or road tax and need only register before Oct. 31 at the clerk's office. Discharged veterans are not liable for poll tax but must pay the \$2 road tax before registering.

Hear Martin Neilson, Saanich C.C.F. candidate, and Murray Bryce, Victoria C.C.F. candidate, Tuesday, 8:15, C.J.V.I.

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PLANS for SOCIAL PROGRESS and SOUND PROSPERITY

Revision of Education System

To relieve the school tax burden and to aid municipalities and property owners, the Cameron Commission Report will be implemented in full, providing for:

1. Establishment of a uniform basis of taxation.
2. Abolition of the Personal Property Tax in rural areas for school purposes.
3. Consolidation of school districts and increase in the number of teachers in congested schools.
4. Establishment of a basic education standard, higher than in any other Province in the Dominion, including:
 - (a) Adoption of basic salary schedules for teachers, with appropriate increments.
 - (b) Generous aid by the Provincial Government in other school costs.
 - (c) Taking over the share of teachers' pension contributions now paid by the school districts.
 - (d) Bonuses for teachers in isolated areas.
5. Beyond the basic education programme the Provincial Government will assume 50 per cent of the cost of school buildings and other equipment.
6. Assumption of 50 per cent of the cost of transportation and allied services.

Housing

Low-rental housing projects and slum-clearance projects undertaken by the municipalities will be aided by substantial contributions from the Provincial Government.

Municipal Reform

The relationship between your Government and the cities and municipalities requires change. An authoritative body will be set up immediately to initiate necessary changes.

Rural Electrification and Power

The comprehensive scheme of power development by the B. C. Power Commission will revolutionize our farming methods. It will put electric light and appliances in every home and farm throughout the Province.

The \$10,000,000 already supplied to the B. C. Power Commission will be supplemented by greater sums for the development of this vital programme.

Veterans' Rehabilitation

The government will co-operate fully with the Federal Veterans' Rehabilitation programme and, wherever possible, will supplement that programme by measures which will give additional benefits to B. C. veterans.

Contributions have already been made to veterans' educational and vocational programmes in the university and elsewhere.

Highways Programme

The Coalition Government, through the Highway Commission it created, has a comprehensive and well-planned construction programme providing a system of modern arterial highways and necessary side-roads to supply the needs and pleasures of all who travel on them.

As part of this programme the Malahat section of the Island Highway has just been finished: the Pine Pass and the Hope-Princeton roads will be completed in the near future.

Millions of dollars have been appropriated for the improvement and reconstruction of our present highway system.

In addition, the Government will give fullest co-operation to the authorities responsible in locating and constructing a highway to Alaska.

It will aggressively press for Dominion approval of a gigantic \$210,000,000 highways plan for inclusion in the Federal public investment programme.

Social Services

This Government pledges itself to support every practical measure for the improvement of its social services, including old age pensions, mothers' pensions, health and welfare services.

Industrial Prosperity and Jobs

This Government will continue to promote all measures helpful to the expansion of our industries and to the greater use of our vast resources. It will encourage new industries. Continuation of such policies will ensure greater prosperity and higher employment than any alternative government could offer.

University of British Columbia

The first major expansion programme of the University, including the establishment of Medical, Pharmacy and Law faculties, has already been provided for by the Coalition Government and will be speeded by every possible means.

This Government will give every possible encouragement to higher education. It will seek to provide equal opportunity for attainment of University education by all.

Public Utilities

The Coalition Government will assist municipalities in the acquisition of the B. C. Electric Railway Company's power, distribution and transit systems, which has been proposed in the interests of the consumer-public.

British Columbia's Parks

The Coalition Government has already planned and will now undertake a comprehensive programme of park development. To complete this programme will require large numbers of men.

The Reconstruction Programme

Tens of thousands will be employed in the great reconstruction programme of the Government—in projects which have been planned and in some cases already started.

The construction of plants and lines for the B.C. Power Commission will run into millions of dollars during the next 5 years.

The \$10,000,000 Highway Programme to which the Government is already committed will provide employment for thousands.

The Hope-Princeton Highway will be started immediately the Highway Commission awards the contract.

The \$6,000,000 Peace River Outlet is in process of construction.

Public buildings, long needed, will now be built in Victoria, Vancouver and other centres.

The \$5,000,000 programme of the University of British Columbia only awaits the release of men and materials.

A \$15,000,000 school construction programme is envisioned in the Cameron Report which is being implemented.

\$1,600,000 is now allocated to new hospital construction.

The P.G.E. Railway

Measures have now been undertaken towards the completion of the P.G.E. Railway and the development of the great North land it serves. The co-operation of the Dominion Government, the C.N.R. and C.P.R. has been secured in setting up a representative committee whose report will be the basis of a definite plan of action.

The Act, which authorized vast grants of land, as an inducement to outside capital to develop and extend the P.G.E., will be repealed in the interests of the people.

Freight Rates

Lower freight rates to B. C. mean more jobs and greater prosperity in the shipping business and the industry of the Province as a whole.

We will vigorously press our claims for freight rates adjustments at the Dominion-Provincial Conference. If we do not succeed, we will continue to fight unrelentingly.

The Agricultural Industry

This Government will do everything in its power to promote agricultural production and to improve the opportunities and living standards of those engaged in this industry. This includes:

1. Efforts to stabilize farm prices.
2. Improvement in the marketing situation.
3. Improvement in grading and inspecting.
4. Assistance to irrigation districts.
5. Expanding the land-clearance programme.
6. Encouragement to new industries processing farm products.
7. Increased agricultural research services.

Labor Legislation

British Columbia leads in labor legislation! The Coalition Government will ensure that we continue to lead!

Dominion-Provincial Conference

The Coalition Government will co-operate to the fullest with the Dominion Government and other Provinces to ensure raising the standards in other parts of Canada to at least the standards of living, social security, health and education so far achieved by the people of British Columbia.

The Forest Industry

The recommendations of the Royal Commission on Forestry will be implemented to ensure the greatest economic harvesting of our forest wealth in perpetuity. It will result in maximum continuous employment of every worker in the whole industry.

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Meeting to be held are as follows: Oct. 10, "The Winds and Ocean Currents," Lt.-Cmdr. C. A. McDonald; Nov. 14, "Military Telescope Making," Prof. A. J. Crocker, University of British Columbia; Dec. 14, annual dinner and lecture, "The Practical and Commercial Value of Astronomy," Dr. C. S. Beales; Jan. 9, "Great Astronomers," 1, Sir Isaac Newton, by Robert Peters, and 2, Sir Arthur Eddington, by Mrs. J. R. Noble; Feb. 13, "Volcanoes and Volcanic Rocks," Dr. J. S. Stevenson; March 13, "Atomic Energy," Dr. Andrew McKellar; April 10, visit to planetarium, R.C.N. College, Royal Roads.

Appoint Capt. Darcy To Night School Staff

Capt. G. Darcy has been appointed instructor of the overflow class in leathercraft, George Anstey, night school director, announced today.

Registration has been closed in this class which has a record enrollment of 83 and it has been necessary to limit the number of periods per student to one a week, with the class being divided into four sections, Mr. Anstey said.

If at least 10 more students do not enroll in the choral music class tonight it will be discontinued for this year, he said. The class requires a minimum of 20 students to make it possible to hold sessions, and so far only 10 have enrolled.

This Is Parent-Teacher Week

October 7 to 13

During this week, the many Parent-Teacher Associations of Greater Victoria are holding their annual membership drive. You are asked to join your local P.T.A., for "Parent-Teacher Promotes Parent Training." This space gladly contributed in the interest of local P.T.A. organizations.

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They Are

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Listed below are a few examples of the parcels that can be prepared for a Merry Christmas to your friend or relation.



—Overseas Booth, Lower Main Floor at THE BAY

Parcels for Civilians in Great Britain

No. 1.....5 lbs.	No. 2.....5 lbs.	No. 3.....5 lbs.
1 lb. Fort Garry Tea 1 lb. Prunes 2 Chocolate Bars 2 packets Lipton's Soup 1 1/2-lb. packet Cheese Total2.58 Postage96 3.54	2 lbs. Raisins 1/2 lb. Mixed Peel 1/2 lb. Shelled Almonds 1 lb. Prunes 3 packets Hot Chocolate Total1.28 Postage96 2.24	1 lb. Fruit Cake 2 packets Lipton's Soup 4 Chocolate Bars 4 packets Hot Chocolate 1 tin Swift's Prem 1 1/2-lb. packet Cheese 1 1/2-lb. packet Fort Garry Tea Total2.22 Postage96 3.18
No. 4.....5 lbs.	No. 5.....5 lbs.	No. 6.....5 lbs.
1 tin Sunfilled Orange Juice 1 lb. Prunes 1 lb. Lump Sugar 3 Chocolate Bars 1 tin Sardines 1 1/2-lb. packet Fort Garry Tea 4 packets Hot Chocolate Total1.85 Postage96 2.81	2 large packets Lux 4 bars Lifebuoy Soap 4 bars Lux Toilet Soap Total1.06 Postage96 2.02	1 1/2-lb. tin Klim Powdered Milk 2 tins Aylmer Dehydrated Apples 1 packet Kraft Dinner 2 packets Wyler's Bouillon Cubes 1 lb. Fort Garry Tea 2 packets Lipton's Soup 3 packets Hot Chocolate Total2.84 Postage96 3.80

Parcels for Civilians in Eire, Belgium, France, Netherlands

No. 10.....11 lbs.	No. 20.....11 lbs.	No. 30.....11 lbs.
1-lb. tin Klim Powdered Milk 1 lb. Fort Garry Coffee 1 lb. Lump Sugar 1 lb. Raisins 1 tin Swift's Prem 1 1/2-lb. packet Cheese 2 Chocolate Bars 2-lb. tin Raspberry Jam 4 packets Armour's Bouillon Cubes 1 tin Sunfilled Orange Juice 1 packet Horlick's Chocolate Malted Milk Tablets Total4.30 Plus Postage	1 lb. Lump Sugar 1 lb. Fort Garry Tea 1 lb. Raisins 2 Chocolate Bars 2 packets Lipton's Soup 1 tin Meat Balls 1 lb. Prunes 2 packets Wyler's Bouillon Cubes 1 packet Kraft Dinner 2 tins Old Salt Sardines 2 tins Aylmer Dehydrated Apples 1-lb. tin Neilson's Cocoa 1 tin Swift's Prem Total3.35 Plus Postage	6 large packets Lux 7 bars Lifebuoy Soap 7 bars Lux Toilet Soap 1 tin Nugget Shoe Polish Total2.61 Plus Postage

Parcels for Canadian Armed Services Overseas

A.....4 lbs.	B.....7 lbs.	D.....11 lbs.
1 tin Sunfilled Concentrated Orange Juice 1 Dr. West's Tooth Brush 1 tube Listerine Tooth Paste 4 packets Minora Safety Razor Blades 1 tube Williams' Shaving Cream 2 bars Lux Toilet Soap 1 tin Nugget Shoe Polish 6 Chocolate Bars 2 packets Armour's Bouillon Cubes Total3.12 Postage48 3.60	1 1/2-lb. packet Hot Chocolate 1 tin Sunfilled Concentrated Orange Juice 4 Chocolate Bars 2-lb. Fruit Cake 1 tin Swift's Prem 1 1/2-lb. packet Chateau Cheese 4 packets Minora Safety Razor Blades 2 bars Palmolive Soap 2 packets Armour's Bouillon Cubes Total3.76 Postage84 4.60	2-lb. Fruit Cake 2 tins Sardines 1 tin Spork 2 1/2-lb. packets Cheese 1 tin Sunfilled Orange Juice 1 tin Nugget Shoe Polish 1 tube Williams' Shaving Cream 6 Chocolate Bars 2 packets Gum 6 packets Minora Safety Razor Blades 4 packets Hot Chocolate 1 1/2-lb. can Maple Sugar 1 tin Peaches 2 Armour's Bouillon Cubes 2 packets Player's Cigarettes Total6.06 Postage1.32 7.38

DEADLINE MAILING DATES TO ARRIVE FOR CHRISTMAS—Middle East, October 15
Central Mediterranean, October 15 United Kingdom, France, Belgium and Netherlands, October 30

Victoria Man Confused With Kamloops Kid

Dave Wilkie, 988 Newport Avenue, a radio singer, called at the Times offices today to say that recent references by returning war prisoners to the Kamloops Kid have caused him to do a lot of explaining.

It seems that Dave is the original Kamloops Kid and is not to be confused with the infamous Jap sergeant who went to school a few years ago at Kamloops and later abused Canadian prisoners at Hongkong.

Dave, who also comes from Kamloops, began his singing career on a cattle ranch near there. He left the range to go into radio, appearing over the Victoria station with "The Old-Timers' Frolic."

He has also sung from Toronto and from St. Catharines with the "Canadian Ranch Boys." Other programs over the Victoria station included "Western Range Rhythms." Recently he has been doing camp shows for the armed forces.

Tied Outside To Freeze To Death For Taking Food

In the quiet of an autumn afternoon, Cpl. Charles "Mel" Keyworth, 27, former student at North Saanich High and part-time clerk in a Victoria meat market, unfolded a story of unbelievable cruelty which began for him Dec. 25, 1941, when he was taken prisoner by the Japanese at Hongkong.

Looking tanned but with a slight nervousness and a liberal sprinkling of gray in his crop of coal-black hair, "Mel" Keyworth told his story, not in disjointed form, but with facts, figures and dates, as he sat in a restful Fairfield living-room, Friday afternoon, following his arrival with 386 other liberated prisoners of war aboard Princess Alice.

In the family circle were his father, Rev. Thomas Keyworth, United Church minister at Grand Forks, Mrs. E. S. Blair, his aunt, of 2101 Sutherland, with whom he will stay while on leave, his cousin, Mrs. Fred Davison, and her husband, 181 Joseph Street, and Miss Betty Mitchell, another cousin. His mother is dead.

"At our camp at Nigata, where there were 80 Canadians among 220 prisoners, one soldier from Quebec and two Americans stole some Red Cross food supplies in desperation. They were stripped of everything but their trousers, put outside to freeze to death in the winter's cold."

"They were tied at the legs; their hands were tied and a rope was placed around their necks and attached to the fence post. When they were brought in dead, they were blown up to the size of pigs."

BEATEN TO DEATH

Cpl. Keyworth told of an American boy who lost his mind, escaped from the camp and was found just wandering through the town. Brought back to camp, he was beaten to death by soldiers using the butt end of their rifles, he said, adding that the Americans were treated worse than the Canadians.

"Our average daily diet was 600 grams of grain (potatoes, rice, beans) a day. On that I worked in the Nippon Steels from 7.30 in the morning until 5 at night, with 40 minutes off for lunch."

"We picked weeds from the side of the road on the way back to the camp from the foundry; we cleaned and ate them. We caught rats, grasshoppers and snakes and cooked them for food. 'I, like the others, was beaten when I was too weak to work. One day my job boss gave me a cigarette. When the guard found it on me, he gave me a beating I'll never forget."

"Our morale was low all the time. We lived on rumors, anything that would give us some hope... a letter from home. I had 21 letters in the four years, and in our camp only one Canadian received a personal parcel in all that time. I had four or five Red Cross parcels."

Amid the tale of ill-treatment was the memory of one Japanese commandant, a sergeant, who "did his best to make working conditions good for us."

"LIVING HELL"

At the camp itself 10 men slept, ate and lived in a room 12 feet by 10 feet. There were five blankets and straw mats, which became polluted with fleas.

Describing the 17-day trip in 1943 from Hongkong to Niigata, Cpl. Keyworth said 550 men were crowded into two holds of a ship whose tonnage they reckoned was between 400 and 500.

It was "a living hell," he said. "After the Jap surrender, when planes from the U.S. carrier Lexington came over and did the victory roll, there wasn't a dry eye in the camp, he said."

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The program will comprise seven monthly meetings, including lectures, annual dinner, a visit to the Royal Canadian College planetarium and weekly meetings of the observing section, using the telescope set up in H. Boyd Brydon's garden, 2390 Oak Bay Avenue. The observing section begins its 1945-46 season Oct. 15, weather permitting and will continue every clear Monday throughout the winter.

Meeting to be held are as follows: Oct. 10, "The Winds and Ocean Currents," Lt.-Cmdr. C. A. McDonald; Nov. 14, "Military Telescope Making," Prof. A. J. Crooker, University of British Columbia; Dec. 14, annual dinner and lecture, "The Practical and Commercial Value of Astronomy," Dr. C. S. Beale; Jan. 9, "Great Astronomers," I. Sir Isaac Newton, by Robert Peters, and 2, Sir Arthur Eddington, by Mrs. J. R. Noble; Feb. 13, "Volcanoes and Volcanic Rocks," Dr. J. S. Stevenson; March 13, "Atomic Energy," Dr. Andrew McKellar; April 10, visit to planetarium, R.C.N. College, Royal Roads.

Appoint Capt. Darcy To Night School Staff

Capt. G. Darcy has been appointed instructor of the overflow class in leathercraft, George Anstey, night school director, announced today.

Registration has been closed in this class which has a record enrollment of 83 and it has been necessary to limit the number of periods per student to one a week, with the class being divided into four sections, Mr. Anstey said.

If at least 10 more students do not enroll in the choral music class tonight it will be discontinued for this year, he said. The class requires a minimum of 20 students to make it possible to hold sessions, and so far only 10 have enrolled.

This Is Parent-Teacher Week

October 7 to 13

During this week, the many Parent-Teacher Associations of Greater Victoria are holding their annual membership drive. You are asked to join your local P.T.A., for... "Parent-Teacher Promotes Parent Training." This space gladly contributed in the interest of local P.T.A. organizations.

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Mustangs Register First Gridiron Win

Before a large holiday crowd, Victoria Mustangs defeated Vancouver Blue Bombers by a score of 14 to 7 in the American football game played Monday at Macdonald Park for their first win of the season.

Lanky Bill O'Connell was on the receiving end of both passes to score the touchdowns for Mustangs, while Sam Casey plunged through the line for the Bombers only touch of the day.

The yellow-shirted Mustangs reared and bucked their way through for 145 yards and had two completed passes on five attempts. Vancouver picked up 90 yards on rushes, and completed but one pass out of six attempts. The Bombers, playing their first game of American football, were not familiar with the rules and drew 75 yards in penalties.

Diminutive Ray Mitchell was a packet of dynamite. This speedy lad was a thorn in the side of the visitors. Clever play by Rynoski and Denoni was largely responsible for the Victoria victory. The first touchdown came when Tod Garnett faked back and rifled a 30-yard pass to Bill O'Connell, who reached out and snared the pigskin to romp over for the score. He added the extra point by converting the kick.

DEADLOCK SCORE

Vancouver tied the score in the third quarter when Mustangs were driven back to their own five-yard line by some fine broken field running by Rod Pantages. On a reverse play, Sam Casey received the ball and plunged through the middle for the touchdown. Walt Chaley kicked true for the extra point.

From then on the Mustangs were definitely on the march with Mitchell drifting through the Vancouver line at high speeds and often, nearing the end of the game, Mustangs came through with their winning score. Rynoski faked a pass, ran around toward right end and by that time O'Connell was waiting for the pass. Rynoski drew back and heaved one right into his hands. Bill just clutched on to it and was over. Big, husky Len Scott, made no mistake with a perfect

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kick to convert and put the game on ice, 14 to 7.

Victoria fans are certainly developing a taste for American football. The stands were packed out and the crowd was entertained between quarters by the Victoria High School band. Taking the spectators eye were three pretty feminine cheer leaders who were in charge of an enthusiastic rooting section.

Record Pool Set With Attendance Mark Expected

CHICAGO (AP) — The fans think this is a great world series, no matter how much the boys up in the press box needle it as a classic example of how not to play major league baseball.

Only 37,184 patrons have to push through the Wrigley Field turnstiles for tomorrow's deciding seventh game to tie the 1926 attendance record of 328,051 for a limit series. Yesterday's chilled throng of 41,708 was the smallest at the three games already played here. A total of 290,867 fans have attended the six games to date.

While managers Charley Grimm of the Cubs and Steve O'Neill of the Tigers pull their hair and veteran scribes shake their heads in sad dismay over the antics of the contenders, the series already has pumped a record of \$1,388,272 into baseball's coffers.

It seemed impossible that as many a series as this one could finish without a well-horned goat and it won't. The nomination of the moment goes to pinch-hitter Charley Hostetter of the Tigers, who took a Mack Sennett spill en route home in the seventh inning with what would have been the winning run.

Resume Senior Ice Play in Kootenays

NELSON (CP) — Plans were completed here during the long Thanksgiving week-end to play senior hockey in the west Kootenay district again this winter. G. W. Wheatley of Trail was elected president of the West Kootenay Senior Hockey Association and teams from Trail, Kimberley and Nelson will participate in the league, scheduled to begin Dec. 1.

The senior league has been dormant for the last three years because of the war. Nelson has been absent from hockey wars for the last four years.

Cage Practices

Dominoes basketball squad will hold its first practice at the High School gym tonight, from 8:30 to 10. Manager Dave Nicol extends an invitation to any player wishing to make the club to turn out.

From 7:30 to 8:30 the KV's senior A team will hold a workout.

KV's intermediate B team will practice at the Memorial Hall from 7:30 to 8:30 with the KV's juniors following from 8:30 to 9:30.

OAK BAY CRIBBAGE

Robert Edeane is the undisputed champion of cribbage in Oak Bay. This honor was bestowed on him after two hours' battling at the Oak Bay Community Club Hall recently. An enthusiastic group of contestants threatened to return next week to try and wrest the crown from Edeane's head.

Edeane took the De Beck weekly trophy emblematic of the title. Weekly winners become eligible to compete for the silver trophy donated by Hoyle-Brown Ltd. at the end of season.

Wednesday morning at 10 hear Mrs. May Campbell's answers to questions about the C.C.F., C.J.V.

Young Goalie Makes Diving Save



One of the stars of Monday's first division soccer match was 16-year-old Muir, goalie for Toppers. In the above picture the youngster is seen stretched out on the ground as he blocks an attempt on goal by one of the Navy forwards. Toppers blanked the sailors 1 to 0.

Cecil Blower Wins Tyee Derby With 50½-Lb. Salmon

Landing a 50½-pound salmon Cecil Blower won the first prize of a boat equipped with an in-board motor in the annual derby of the Port Alberni Tyee Club held Sunday. Blower also pulled in a 47 pounder for the second largest Tyee taken during the competition but the rules allowed a competitor to take only one prize.

Second prize went to Stan Knowles with a 43½ pounder, while Red Larsen, famous cougar hunter, took third with a Tyee weighing 42 pounds. Larsen also had fish weighing 36½ and 30½.

Other prizewinners, along with the weight of their fish follow: T. Turner 38, Hans Peterson 37, Mrs. Zallo 36½, Mrs. E. Gray 36, J. Gilbert 35, J. Marx 33, E. A. Nix 32, Jim Kennedy 31½, F. Robinson 29, H. Robinson 29 and Mrs. J. McLeod 26.

Total of 52 members fished in the competition with 670½ pounds of fish weighed in during the day. The fish was turned over by the Tyee Club to the Indian School for canning.

Around 300 people gathered on the float for the official weigh-in with Norman King of the Port Alberni Board of Trade, announcing the winners.

In the evening the club held its annual banquet with 150 members and friends present. President Bud Carter acted as chairman with King as master of ceremonies. Among those seated at the head table was Lee Hallberg of Victoria, president of the Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association. Prizes were presented to the lucky anglers by King.

Through an error by the committee in charge of the derby a young angler, Stan Banfield, who had qualified, did not fish in the competition. On learning of the boy's tough luck, Claude Sissons of "Game Trails," presented the youth with a light sporting rifle.

Burrards Win Two Straight

Whip St. Catharines 18-7

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP) — Before the Canadian lacrosse finals began, sponsor Ed Irvine of Vancouver Burrards told everyone who would listen that his team would beat the Dominion champion St. Catharines Athletics three straight.

Some 4,500 fans who saw Burrards trounce St. Catharines, 18 to 7, here last night for their second straight victory will be more than slightly surprised if Irvine's prediction misses.

The fleet western champions were even more convincing than in the first game, which they won easily, 12 to 6. Vancouver outplayed and outgamed the defending champions from the goal out.

Most lacrosse fans figure Bill Whittaker of Athletics is the best in the business, but his stellar play last night was overshadowed by Walt Lee, Burrards' veteran netfinder. Lee shut out Athletics in the fourth quarter of the first game and he did it again in the first and third quarters of the second—possibly a record for Canadian finals.

Over the full-game route, Lee made 24 stops compared with 26 by Whittaker, but the Vancouver goal was more sensational as he gathered in many shots that looked like sure goals.

FLYING START

Unlike the first game, Burrards started off without a spell of jitters and ran up a 5 to 0 lead in the first quarter and retained their margin for an 8 to 3 lead at half-time. In the third, Vancouver fired another five while holding Athletics scoreless for a 13 to 3 lead.

In the final 15 minutes, Burrards weathered a St. Catharines rally and bounded back with one of their own to outscore the eastern team 5 to 4.

Bill Harris, Vancouver winger who pivots around the opposing goal like a ballet-dancer, rapped four goals behind Whittaker, and Roy (Fritz) Cavallin, veteran Burrards rover, also rifled in four.

Other Vancouver scorers were John McDonald, Harry Buchanan, Fred Whittaker and Pat Theale with two each, and Ernie Smith and Frank Lee with one apiece. Don Matheson, Burrards' ace playmaker, had four assists.

Centre Bill Nelson led the St. Catharines' scorers with two goals. Pat Smith, Bill Mackie, Jim McMahon, Doug Cove and Tom Madsen tallied one apiece.

Week-end Soccer

Toppers, Nanaimo Win

Week-end Results

Toppers 1, Navy 0.
Victoria West 3, Canadian Legion 0.
Nanaimo 8, V.M.D. 2.

Goal from the boot of Nip Sage, 30 minutes after play opened, gave Manager Joe Watt's youthful Toppers a 1 to 0 triumph over the Navy in Monday afternoon's first division soccer match played before a good holiday crowd.

Presenting a young squad with plenty of nip and fight, the Toppers, making their first appearance in the senior league, got away to a flying start. Although a lot smaller and lighter than their opponents, the Toppers were quicker on the ball and many Navy rushes were broken up through the enthusiasm of the youngsters. Gordie Creed turned in a clever game at centre half while 16-year-old Muir in goal handled himself well. The Toppers' defence was sound all afternoon.

The Navy, stripping a brand new line-up with the exception of Norm Stewardson in goal and Eddie DeCosta at centre half, lacked punch in their front line. After playing a leading role in the sailors' defence DeCosta moved up to centre forward in the late stages but the change failed to produce the tying goal.

Navy forced the attack from the opening kickoff and Ashley gave the fans a thrill when he headed past the post from a corner kick. Toppers finally settled down and drove through for what proved the only goal when Sage took a pass from right winger Shubrooke and picked the top corner with a snap shot. Shortly after, Stewardson dived full length to turn aside a whistling shot by the veteran Scotty Stewart. In the dying minutes of the half the Navy had every body but the goalie on the attack but halftime found Toppers clinging to their one goal edge.

MISS CHANCES

Navy had several chances to tie the score in the second half. On one occasion Barbee was clear through only to shoot inches wide of the post. This was followed by a wild pile-up in the Toppers' goal but Muir finally came up with the ball and threw clear. Navy just missed when left back McAuslin, who distinguished himself by his fine clearing and breaking-up tactics, carried the ball down the left line and just missed the top corner with a bullet shot.

At the other end Toppers nearly got themselves a gift goal when DeCosta, in attempting to pass back to Stewardson, lifted the ball over the goalie's head and it rebounded back into play off the cross bar.

In Sunday's game at Nanaimo the V.M.D. wilted badly in the second half after holding the home eleven to a 3 to 2 lead at the end of 45 minutes of play. With such well-known veterans as Uke Grey, Denton, Sandy Thompson, Rice and Shadow Watson in their line-up, the Nanaimo club looks to be a definite threat for the league honors. Alvin Parks and Alec Dallimore scored the V.M.D. counters.

They'll Do It Every Time



Stan Hack's Double Gives Chicago Cubs Smashing Victory In 12th

Cubs-Tigers Set Up 10 Records In Weird Battle

CHICAGO (AP) — In addition to the more sober financial "highs," Monday's weird sixth world series game produced a series of records just as weird as the antics the Cubs and Tigers showed on the field.

Dealing mostly with the size of the parade of players trotted out in the wild and woolly 12-inning affair, the two clubs set 10 marks area equaled two.

With yesterday's \$204,531 gate receipts, plus the \$100,000 radio rights, a record "take" of \$1,328,777 was chalked up, compared to the old \$1,322,328.21 posted by Reds and Tigers five years ago.

These are the others the boys posted: Most players participating for both clubs, one series — 49 by Cubs and Tigers. Old mark 43, by Reds and Tigers, 1940.

Most players participating for one club, one series — 25 by Tigers, old mark 23, Cincinnati, 1940. Cubs, with 24 this series, also broke old mark.

Most pinch-hitters used, both clubs, one series — 22. Old mark 20, Browns and Cardinals last year.

Most players one club, one game — 19 each, Cubs and Tigers. Old mark 18, New York Giants, sixth game, 1936.

Most left on bases, both clubs one game — 24 (12 each by Cubs and Tigers). Old mark 23, Cubs and Athletics, 1910.

Most times at bat, one club, one game — 48, Tigers. Old mark 45, Yankees, 1932 and 1936. (Cubs also broke old mark.)

Most times at bat, both clubs, one game — 94. Old mark 84, Yankees and Cubs, 1932.

Longest game by time — 3:28. Old mark 2:54, Yankees and Dodgers, 1941.

Records tied today were along the same line: Most pitchers used by both clubs, one game — 9. Record set 1929, Cubs and Athletics.

Most times at bat, one player, one game — 6, by Eddie Mayo, Rudy York, Doc Cramer, Tigers, and Andy Pafko, Cubs. Equalled several times, last by Jim Brown, St. Louis Cardinals, 1942.

CHICAGO HAWKS WIN

REGINA (CP) — The Bentley brothers, Max and Doug, along with Alex Kaleta and George Allen last night sparked Chicago Black Hawks to a 5 to 2 victory over a Kansas City squad in an exhibition game here before more than 4,000 fans.

UPLANDS GOLF

At the end of the first 18 holes of the Uplands Cup medal competition at the Uplands Golf Club, E. E. Peden and O. G. Sutton were co-leaders with net scores of 68. Lieut. W. Lovell and J. Barlow were next with 69s. Final 18 holes will be played Sunday.

GORGE VALE GOLF

In the men's medal competition at the Gorge Vale Golf Club Sunday F. O. Basanta and R. D. McLaw for first, each with net scores of 67. In the women's th-whistle competition Mrs. A. McMillan was the winner with a score of 64.

REGINA (AP) — Regina Rough Riders got their rugby season away to an auspicious start Monday by downing Saskatchewan Huskies 28 to 4 before 2,000 persons here today.

Hear Colin Cameron, dynamic C.C.F. speaker, Wednesday, 6:30, C.J.V.

Here Are Figures

CHICAGO (AP) — Official box score for the sixth game of the 1945 World Series follows:

Detroit (AL)	AB	R	H	E	A
Webb, ss	3	0	0	0	1
Hoover, ss	3	1	0	0	1
Mayo, 2b	6	0	1	1	1
Cramer, cf	6	1	2	2	0
Greenberg, rf	5	1	2	2	0
Cullenbine, rf	5	1	2	1	0
York, lb	5	0	0	2	3
Quigley, 3b	5	0	0	2	3
Richardson, c	1	0	0	2	4
Maier, p	1	0	0	0	1
Swill, c	2	1	1	0	1
Quigley, 3b	2	0	0	0	0
Caster, p	0	0	0	0	0
McHale, p	0	0	0	0	0
Bridges, p	0	0	0	0	0
Benton, p	0	0	0	0	0
Waller, p	0	0	0	0	0
Trout, p	2	0	0	0	3
Totals	48	7	12	35	15

*Batted for Richardson in sixth inning.
*Batted for Caster in sixth inning.
*Batted for Webb in seventh inning.
*Batted for Benton in eighth inning.
*Two out when winning run was scored.

Chicago (NL)	AB	R	H	E	A
Hack, 3b	5	1	4	2	2
Johnson, 2b	5	1	1	0	1
Lowrey, lf	5	1	1	0	1
Johnson, 3b	5	1	1	0	1
Pafko, cf	6	0	3	2	1
Nicholson, rf	5	0	0	0	2
Livingson, lf	5	0	0	0	2
Quigley, cf	1	0	0	0	0
Williams, c	1	0	0	0	0
Hughes, ss	4	1	3	4	3
Becker, p	0	0	0	0	0
Block, p	0	0	0	0	0
Merrill, ss	0	0	0	0	0
Johnson, 2b	0	0	0	0	0
Schuster, p	0	1	0	0	0
Bureau, p	0	1	0	0	0
Wynn, p	0	1	0	0	0
Wynn, p	0	1	0	0	0
Borowy, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	46	8	15	35	19

*Batted for Livingson in ninth inning.
*Batted for Hughes in ninth inning.
*Run for Becker in ninth inning.
*Batted for Merrill in twelfth inning.
*Key for security in twelfth inning.

DETOIT (AL) —
Chicago (NL) —
Errors — Johnson, Richardson, Hack 2.
Runs batted in — Richardson, Hack 3, Cavanah 2, Hughes 2, Livingson, Cullenbine, York, Hoover, Greenberg, Mayo, Cramer.
Two-base hits — York, Livingson, Hughes, Walker, Pafko, Hack.
Home runs — Greenberg.
Bases on balls — Cullenbine, 2; York, 2; Nicholson, 1; Bridges 3; Cavanah 2; Livingson 1; Johnson 1; Benton 1; Wynn 1; (Benton); Trout 2 (Hack, Becker); off Pafko 4 (Cullenbine, Quigley, Richardson 2, Trout, Greenberg).
Strikeouts — By Trucks 3 (Hughes, Pafko, Lowrey); by Pafko 2 (York, McHale); by Caster 1 (Nicholson); by Bridges 1 (Johnson); by Benton 1 (Wynn); by Trout 3 (Nicholson, Johnson, Borowy).
Pitching summary:
Trucks, 7 hits, 6 runs in 4 1-3 innings; Caster, 6 hits, 6 runs in 2 1-3 innings; Bridges, 3 hits, 3 runs in 1 2-3 innings; Benton, 1 hit, 0 runs in 1-3 innings; Pafko, 5 hits, 3 runs in 2 1-3 innings; Pafko, 1 hit, 1 run in 2-3 innings; Trout, 4 hits, 1 run in 2-3 innings; Borowy, 4 hits, 6 runs in 4 innings.
Winning pitcher — Borowy. Losing pitcher — Trout.
Umpires — Parks (NL), P. Passarella (AL); Conlan (NL), P. Summers (AL).
Time, 3:28. Attendance, 41,708.

DETROIT FAVORED

CHICAGO (AP) — With Lefty Hal Newhouse slated to pitch for Detroit Tigers in the deciding game of the world series Wednesday, the American League champions were installed by hotel lobby bookmakers to day as 2 to 3 favorites.

It was the longest game in series history, consuming three hours and 28 minutes against the previous record of 2:54. It was full of loose play, the Cubs committing three errors and the Tigers two, and there was some of the dizziest base-running anyone ever saw.

At least twice Detroit threw away the title with strange and peculiar performances on the paths in the late innings. Chuck Hostetter fell flat on his face between third base and home in the seventh inning and was tagged out, helping break up a two-run Tiger rally.

In the eighth when the Bengals scored four more, the fact that Eddie Mayo tried to stretch an ordinary single into a double and was thrown out, deprived Detroit of what would have been the winning run, as Greenberg followed shortly after with his towering home run over the left field wall, his second four-baser of the series.

Black and Whites' basketball team will hold a practice at the Victoria High School gym tonight from 6:30 to 7:30. Any players 16 years and under on Oct. 1 are invited to attend.

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French Electors In Favor Of Drawing New Constitution

TORONTO—Poll results from Institut Français d'Opinion Publique, or French affiliate of the Canadian, American and other Gallup polls, throw some interesting light on the attitude of the French people as they near their first general election in almost a decade and perhaps the most important election in half a century.

In the French election next Oct. 21, the electorate (which for the first time includes women) will be asked to determine some basic policies in addition to indicating their support for various political groups.

They will be asked to decide whether the assembly for which they are going to cast their vote should be considered a "consti-

tuent" assembly—that is, an assembly elected for the sole purpose of drawing up a new constitution for France—or whether it shall be considered an assembly to carry on under the 1875 Constitution. If the French voters support the "constituent" idea, it will mean that they consider the 1875 Constitution dead, and the new assembly will have to start from scratch.

On this point, the French Institute finds an overwhelming majority in favor of a new constitution. In late September, this question was put to a representative sample of French voters. "Shall the assembly to be elected on Oct. 21 be the constituent assembly?" Yes, 78 per cent; no, 10 per cent; undecided, 12 per cent.

A second important issue at stake in the French election is this: If the new assembly is to draw up a new constitution, who will govern in the interim?

The De Gaulle government, in order to assure stability and prevent the overthrow of the government while the new constitution is being formulated, has suggested a plan under which the present provisional government, while in theory responsible to the assembly to be elected Oct. 21, will in fact be insured against being overthrown. This plan has been attacked by some as strongly curtailing the powers of the assembly and as, therefore, non-democratic.

To find out where the French voters stood on this point, the French Institute asked, early in September, and again later, in the month:

"If the vote on Oct. 21 decides that the assembly is a constituent assembly, do you approve that the public powers should, until the time the new constitution is put into operation, be organized according to the proposition of law prepared by the government?"

	1st Week In September	Late September
Yes	84%	84%
No	14%	14%
Undecided	2%	2%

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Back In Civvies



ARTHUR KINNIS

Back at the Standard Furniture Company is Arthur Kinnis, who joined the air force in 1942. Shot down over Paris in July, 1944, he was wounded and spent a short time with the French underground. He was seized by the Germans and was a prisoner of war for 10 months until his release by the Russians. Mr. Kinnis served as bombardier in a Lancaster receiving his discharge with the rank of flight lieutenant. He first worked with the Standard Furniture Company in 1940 after training in interior decoration in New York.

FRED USHER

After six years' army service Fred Usher of the radio team of Fred and Bob, has joined CJVI as a member of the station's sales

staff. Before the war he was with the CBC network from Regina. He came to Victoria in 1939 with his partner, Bob McGill on a motorcycle to join the army. While stationed here they sang over the Victoria station, gaining a wide audience in the city. Mr. Usher received his discharge from the army with the rank of sergeant-major.

Victorian Decorated

S-Sgt. W. A. A. (Lex) Johnston has been awarded the British Empire Medal in recognition of valuable services with the Canadian Army, his wife has been informed.

Mrs. Johnston and her three children reside with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barnett, Cedar Hill Road.

S-Sgt. Johnston joined the

Canadian Forestry Corps in 1941, and went overseas the following June, being stationed in Scotland, where he took special training. Just before D-Day he went on a mission to the continent, and served in France, Belgium and Holland. He is now in Hannover, Germany.

Colwood Wolf Cubs

Members of the Colwood Wolf Cubs enjoyed a ramble Friday afternoon to Esquimalt Lagoon, where a wiener roast and sing-song were held. A sixers' council will meet Thursday at the master's home.

Hear Martin Neilson, Saanich C.C.F. candidate, and Murray Bryce, Victoria C.C.F. candidate, Tuesday, 8.15, CJVI.

2 Island Officers Awarded D.F.C.

Award of the Distinguished Flying Cross to FO. E. M. Mosure, Victoria, and to FO. R. C. Nash, Cumberland, was announced Monday by Air Force headquarters in Ottawa.

FO. Mosure's wife resides at 2118 Sayward Street. The citation with his award reads:

"FO. Mosure has now completed his first operational tour. During an attack on Emmerich in October, 1944, his aircraft was severely damaged. Fire broke out in the nose of the aircraft. This officer fought with the

flames until they were subdued and succeeded in preventing a serious situation. FO. Mosure is an officer of cool resource and courage and has at all times shown a high standard of devotion to duty."

FO. Nash, son of Mr. Charles S. Nash, Cumberland, was described in his citation as an officer who had completed numerous operations against the enemy in the course of which he had invariably displayed the utmost fortitude, courage and devotion to duty.

Air Force headquarters announced at the same time the award of the D.F.C. to 117 other officers of the R.C.A.F. and the D.F.M. to five non-commissioned officers.

3 Father-Son Teams Seek Election

Three father and son teams will seek election to the B.C. Legislature in the Oct. 25 provincial general election.

In the 20th Legislature there was one father and son team—Opposition Leader Harold Winch and his father, E. E. Winch. Both are seeking re-election.

Running the hazard of the polls this election are H. G. Webber, C.C.F. candidate for Esquimalt, and his son, Bernard Webber, school-teacher, who was C.C.F. member of the last Legislature for Similkameen.

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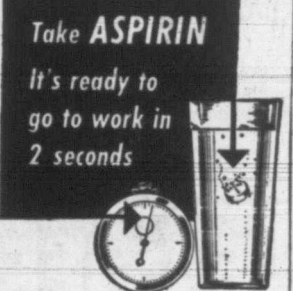
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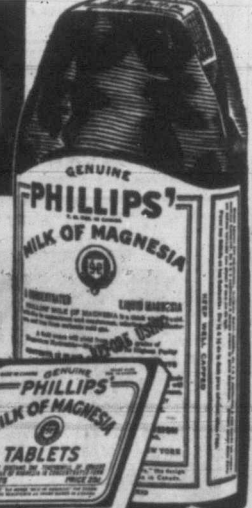
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ized in Thanksgiving fare and visitors jammed cafes at meal times, while Victorians, out and around town for the day, dropped in for the occasional refreshment to swell the crowds.

Hotel offices reported they were packed out over the week-end with visitors from the U.S. and Canadian coast areas. Many room clerks were forced to say, "sorry, no rooms."

Constable Jack Lockie, B.C. police highway patrol, said island roads carried heavy streams of traffic, getting back to regular peacetime holiday traffic. Vancouver Island Coach Lines Ltd. reported its buses carried capacity crowds from here northward.

Service stations, closed over the holiday, were busy Saturday as motorists rushed to fill their gasoline tanks. They were busy again today replenishing the fuel, used so freely over the holiday.

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Government Trying to Extend Franchise to Returned Veterans

Officers of the Attorney-General's and Provincial Secretary's departments today are studying Provincial Elections Act to see if some way may be found to enfranchise hundreds of B.C. servicemen who have returned to the province since the closing of the voters' lists for the Oct. 25 provincial general elections.

The act at present provides for servicemen to vote within B.C., in other provinces and in Britain. No provision has been made to permit servicemen registered in Britain or outside the province to vote now they have returned home.

The disfranchising of these troops has already become one of the major charges against the Coalition government on campaign platforms.

It keynoted the address here Friday of Harold Winch, C.C.F. provincial leader, who charged that a regulation under the Provincial Elections Act could be passed at any time by the B.C. Cabinet to permit the returned men to vote.

Mr. Winch charged the government would vote against it and there-

fore had taken no action to enfranchise them.

Some legal opinion at the Parliament Buildings has it that there is no loophole in the act which would permit the extension of the vote to the returned men.

The number disfranchised has grown considerably during the week-end with the return of the largest contingent of B.C. servicemen from Europe to date.

Mr. Winch contended the men could be enfranchised under Sub-section 9, Section 18A of the act. This part reads:

"Notwithstanding any of the other provisions of this act, every active service elector who is within the province shall be entitled to register as a voter, and the electoral district in which he shall register shall be the electoral district in which he was resident, within the meaning of this act, immediately before becoming a member of any such forces."

The act was drawn in 1940 when the movement of men was away from the province. When the act was amended last spring there was no indication that men would be returning before the next provincial general election.

Town Topics

The Court of Revision will meet Wednesday-morning at 11 in the City Hall to consider Victoria's 1946 assessment roll.

Oak Bay firemen extinguished two grass fires Sunday, one in the 1000 block of Beach Drive and the other at Oak Bay and Monterey Avenues.

An easement has been granted the Greater Vancouver Water District Board to construct a 24-inch main under False Creek. The province has also approved the adding of 40 acres to the Mission watershed.

Approval has been given by provincial order-in-council of a license for the operator of the cold storage plant at Fairview Bay, Prince Rupert, of the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative Association.

Walter S. Miles, vice-president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, will talk on "Harbor Development in the Greater Victoria Area" at the Victoria Real Estate Board luncheon meeting in the Douglas Hotel, Wednesday, at noon.

Wardens of James Bay district will hold a social evening Friday at South Park School at 8. This will be the final meeting and disbanding of the organization in James Bay will take place. Service certificates will be presented. Wardens and their wives are invited.

Kenneth L. Morton of Vancouver has been appointed deputy registrar of voters for Burnaby, Vancouver-Burrard, Vancouver Centre, Vancouver East and Vancouver-Point Grey electoral districts, succeeding Gerald Punter. Mr. Morton has also been appointed deputy registrar-general of voters.

Fire wardens are recommending to the City Council today that Lieut. F. C. Barber be promoted to the rank of captain to succeed deputy chief R. Brindle, and that fireman Ernest Harris be promoted to the rank of acting lieutenant in place of Lieut. Barber. Ald. H. M. Diggon, chairman, reported.

LOGGER KILLED
William A. Edwards, 35, head loader at Bloedel, Stewart & Welch, Camp 8, Great Central Lake, was killed during logging operations at Port Alberni Saturday morning.

A petition signed by 53 residents of the area has been sent in to the City Council asking for the installation of a street light at the entrance to Emerson Street from Richmond Road.

Three false alarms were rung in to the city fire department Monday. Firemen also answered calls to a smouldering fuse-box and an awning fire in the 700 block, Yates Street.

Provincial order-in-council has approved the creation of a park at Sidney. The lands set aside are described on land registry records as Lots 1 and 2, Block 7, and Lots 4, 5 and 6, Block 8, of Section 11, Range 4 E, North Saanich District. At Horse Lake in Lil-loot district, 158 acres have been set aside as a park.

F. Napier Denison of Mount St. Mary Hospital, has written Mayor Percy George complaining that the city street sweeper dumps his pick-up material on Burdett Avenue or Vancouver Street, and before the trucks can collect it the wind blows the debris around. He suggests the refuse be put direct on to trucks.

Rev. W. F. Doeling, 35, of Hope Lutheran Church, died yesterday. Born in Casey, N.D., he graduated from Sonoma Theological Seminary at St. Louis and served at Vulcan, Alta., before coming here in 1938. His widow and an infant daughter survive; also a brother and sister in Carrington, N.D.

Mrs. Gladys May Henry has been appointed by provincial order-in-council as a sub-mining recorder for Omineca mining district, with offices at Takla Landing, succeeding William R. Henry. Miss Eva C. Hepburn, senior clerk stenographer in the Government Agent's office at Princeton has been appointed deputy sub-mining recorder for Similkameen mining division, with offices at Princeton.

Facilities of the Prince Robert House, Navy League of Canada, have been placed at the disposal of all servicemen returning as released prisoners of war from the Far East. Lt.-Col. Thomas Moore, manager, has announced Citizens wishing to contact civilian repatriates from Japan camps are advised they can have their names listed to be sent to the reception centre by telephone Mrs. C. H. Douglas at G 6543.

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Candidates Plan Many Election Talks Here This Week

The Oct. 25 provincial general election campaigns went into the final phase today with the three party leaders on tour.

Premier John Hart tonight will speak at Nelson, having left Victoria Saturday, motoring to the interior via the U.S. He will work westward and will later give some addresses on Vancouver Island.

Attorney-General R. L. Maitland, provincial Progressive Conservative leader, will embark on his tour Thursday.

Harold Winch, C.C.F. provincial leader, who spoke here Friday and at Shawnigan Lake Saturday, will continue his tour of the island.

The three leaders will reach almost all sections of the province.

Election campaign of Norman W. Whitaker, K.C., Coalition candidate in Saanich and Speaker of the last Legislature, will start tonight at St. Augustine's Hall, Deep Cove, his campaign manager, R. F. Sewell, announced.

Mr. Whitaker will speak on each of the next 12 work days and will also broadcast.

MINISTERS COMING
Backing up the C.C.F. will be several ministers of the Saskatchewan C.C.F. government, and Angus MacInnis, C.C.F. member of parliament for Vancouver East.

Premier T. T. Douglas of Saskatchewan will address the final rally in Victoria Oct. 23 at Royal Victoria Theatre. He will be supporting the six C.C.F. candidates in Greater Victoria.

Scheduled to speak here next Tuesday is Woodrow Lloyd, education minister in the Saskatchewan C.C.F. government. He will speak from the Chamber of Commerce auditorium stage in support of the three Victoria and one Oak Bay candidates.

Mrs. Beatrice Trew, C.C.F. member of the Saskatchewan Legislature for Maple Creek, will speak at 8 tonight at Queen of Peace Hall, with Harry Webber, C.C.F. candidate in Esquimalt constituency.

Tuesday afternoon, at 2, Mrs. Trew and Mr. Webber will hold a house meeting at the home of Mrs. Dennis Chivers, Sooke, and at 8 that night, they will speak at Luxton Hall.

At 8 Thursday night Mr. Webber will address a house meeting at the home of Mrs. Carr, Langford.

Mr. Webber and Martin Neilson, C.C.F. candidate in Saanich, will hold a meeting at Strawberry Vale at 8, Saturday night. Mrs. Trew is a former school teacher, member of the C.C.F. since its inception and active member of Women's Institutes, the Red Cross and other organizations.

ONTARIO M.L.A. HERE

Here to campaign for Robert Kerr and W. White, Labor Progressive Party candidates in Victoria and Saanich respectively, is A. A. McLeod, member of the Ontario Legislature, who will speak at 8 tonight at the K. of P. Hall, 1415 Broad Street.

Certificates Given At St. Joseph's

An interesting ceremony took place at the monthly luncheon meeting of the medical staff of St. Joseph's Hospital, today, when H. C. Mainwaring, chairman of civilian defence for British Columbia, presented federal government civilian defence service certificates to doctors and hospital employees who worked at the A.R.P. station in the hospital during the war years.

Dr. A. B. Nash presided at the luncheon and certificates were presented to the following: Sister Mary Kathleen, hospital superintendent; Doctors Gerald Avilward, Frank Bryant, George Hall, J. H. Moore, H. M. Robertson, A. C. Sinclair, T. McPherson, J. W. Lennox, E. W. Boak, Douglas Graham, Wm. E. Ekins, Sister Mary Flanagan, Sister Mary Justina, Sister Mary Beatrice, Sister Mary Priscilla, Sister Mary Claire, Sister Mary Miriam Theresa, Albert J. Tombu, Albert J. Kelpin, Arthur P. Jones, Richard Smith, William White, Thomas Glass, William McHugh, William Bennett, Ernest Attfield, Camille Bondolf, Reginald Colbert, Coleman Collins and Clarence Westoner. Sister Mary Naomi, who was not present at the meeting, also received a certificate.

During the meeting it was announced that Dr. Douglas Roxburgh had been appointed medical superintendent at the hospital.

BODY FOUND

The body of Tomish Charley, 58-year-old Indian from the Se-shart Reserve at Alberni, missing for two weeks, was found floating off the Port Alberni wharf Saturday. Dr. C. T. Hilton, coroner, will hold an inquiry.

Mrs. Christie Enters Aldermanic Contest

First to definitely announce her candidature for alderman in the December civic elections is ex-alderman Margaret D. Christie. Mrs. Christie was the first woman to be elected to the city council and she completed the unfinished one-year term of Mayor Percy George in 1944.

In the 1945 election she was defeated, but during the year she has kept active in public service, serving as chairman of the Crowe-Baker home furnishing committee.

Mrs. Christie served for seven years as a member of the Victoria School Board, five of which she was chairman of the education committee.

During her year on the city council she served as a member of the police commission, as chairman of the city health and welfare committee, and as member of the public works committee and the water board.

Dockside Collision Damages Cy Peck

Ferry Cy Peck was slightly damaged in a collision today as she lay alongside picking up passengers at Fulford Harbor, according to an announcement made by Harold Husband, managing director of the Gulf Islands Ferry Co. Ltd., owners of the ferry.

Mr. Husband said another vessel coming alongside the Cy Peck struck her topside guard rail and damaged it. No one was hurt and damage was slight. The ferry is running on schedule again, he said.

Government Fears Veterans, Says Kerr

Disfranchising of thousands of returning servicemen through rush registration of voters shows the fear of the Coalition government of progressive voting strength of veterans, Robert Kerr, Labor Progressive candidate in Victoria, told a meeting at the Russian Canadian Hall, Sunday night.

"The progressive forces of B.C. can, if united, defeat the Coalition of big business representatives of the Hart-Maitland government," he said.

"The fight in this election is between the forces of progress and the forces of reaction. It is labor's fight to see that the Tory-Liberal alliance for reactionary government does not succeed," he continued.

"The next government must be one which will support an immediate plan for the construction of 20,000 new homes in B.C.," he said.

Speaking for Mr. Kerr and W. White, L.P.P. candidate in Saanich, was Walter Gawrycki. R. Mezger was chairman.

Police Court

A sailor, who pleaded guilty to a charge of breaking a glass window at 552 Cormorant Street Saturday, elected summary trial in City Police Court and was remanded by Magistrate Hall until Tuesday for hearing.

One woman was sentenced to 20 days for being drunk and two men were each fined \$25. Two men pleaded not guilty to a similar charge and were remanded to Wednesday and Thursday for hearing.

Ball for \$10 each was estreated in the cases of an Indian man and Indian woman, both charged with intoxication in a public place, who failed to appear in court when called.

Blind Gardeners Winners Announced

The silver cup in the sixth annual vegetable growing contest for the blind, sponsored by the Victoria Women's Auxiliary of the Canadian Institute for the Blind, and held at the Red Cross Building, 1910 Government Street, this morning, was won by Miss Edna Porter, 927 Ellery Street. Onions and peppers were the main exhibits this year and Miss Porter won a first in both entries. Mr. C. D. Leason, 95 Obed Avenue, won a second in both divisions, with honorable mention for his other vegetable display. Mrs. G. W. Watling, Helen Road, won a third in the union class and Mr. A. Richardson, 2280 Central Avenue a fourth.

Honorable mention for quince and apples went to Mr. E. J. Turner, 3149 Milgrove Street and to Mrs. F. C. King, 128 Medina Street for a display of beans.

All fruit and vegetable entries were later sold and the proceeds given to the Victoria Red Cross Society as a donation from members of the Canadian Institute for the Blind.

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Plans, specifications, contract, and terms of tender may be seen on and after the 3rd day of October, 1945 and further information obtained at the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, and at the offices of District Engineer, Courtenay and the Government Agent, Courtenay, B.C.

Copies of plans, specifications, etc., can be obtained from the Department on payment of a deposit of Ten Dollars (\$10.00), which will be refunded on return of the plans, etc., in good condition.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelope furnished.

Tenders must be in the hands of the Minister at or before 12 noon of Wednesday, the 17th day of October, 1945 and will be opened in public at 12 o'clock noon on that day in the Parliament Buildings.

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Separate sealed tenders, endorsed "Tender for Peace River Highway, Prince George to Summit Lake Section," will be received by the Minister of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., up to 12 o'clock noon, Monday, October 29th, 1945, and opened in public at that time and date, for the following described work: Construction of Highway from Prince George to Summit Lake, approximately 28 miles.

Plans, specifications, etc., may be obtained from the undersigned on deposit of the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00). This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the plans, etc., in good condition within a period of one month after the receipt of tenders.

Tenders must be accompanied by an accepted cheque made payable to the Minister of Public Works for an amount equal to fifteen per cent (15%) of the total amount of the tender. This deposit will be forfeited if the tenderer declines to enter into contract, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for.

Only firms who were registered and operating in Canada on the first day of January, 1944, will be eligible to tender on the above work.

The cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them when the contract has been awarded.

Tenders must be made out on the forms supplied and enclosed in the envelope furnished.

Tenderers must submit with their tenders a list of the type and capacity of the equipment OWNED by them or that they propose to RENT for use in carrying out the work and stating where the equipment is located so that it may be inspected if necessary. Equipment must be listed as owned or rented as the case may be.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

A. L. CARRUTHERS,
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Parliament Buildings,
Victoria, B.C.
October 8th, 1945.

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DIANA BARRYMORE and Bramwell Fletcher, co-starring as the second Mrs. de Winter and her husband Maxim, in the original New York production of Daphne Maurier's stage play "Rebecca," to be presented at the Royal Victoria Theatre Oct. 12 and 13.

Today's Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

1 Pictured White House aide, Capt. James K. ... Jr.
7 Three parts (noun, form)
9 He is President Truman's rival
10 Sturdy tree (10 Old Ireland (ab.)
14 Furrow
15 Compass point
17 Looked fixedly
18 Church holiday
21 Symbol for calcium
22 Hypothetical structural unit
24 Type of moth
25 Father
26 Solitary
28 Wave, top
30 Specific gravity (ab.)
31 Symbol for uranium
32 Epithet
33 Enslaved
37 Half-em
38 Suffix
39 Film
40 Norwegian (ab.)
41 Muffin
42 Muddle
43 Compass point
44 Mystic syllable
45 Attempt
46 Rustle
47 Boster
48 Hoop-kid
55 Substances

VERTICAL

1 Six (Roman)
2 Incursion
3 Excavate
4 Bustle
5 Whiff
6 Name (v.)
7 Narrow inlet
11 Ennet
12 Resting
14 Exclaim
15 Lavishing ketch
17 Soread
18 Curl
19 Sailing forth
20 Classifications
21 Rustle
22 Ever (contr.)
23 Passive
24 Acre
25 Cast off
26 Ventilate
27 Excavate
28 Ignoble
29 Mole's child
30 Name (v.)
31 Saint (ab.)
32 Tree
34 Like

(Answer to previous puzzle)

CONSPIRACY
MARTIN DETECTING
KAFK-KAFK-KAFK
HMP! WOULD I
COULD NAB THE
CULPRIT WHO
GOES AROUND
THIS HOUSE
REMOVING
LABELS-THIS
THE BOTTLE?

The DOCTOR Says:

PROTECT CHILDREN FROM TUBERCULOSIS
By WILLIAM A. O'BRIEN, M.D.

Children are never born with tuberculosis. The disease is always acquired after birth. Reports show 75 per cent of college students reach 21 without being infected. The 25 per cent who are positive reactors have lived or worked with someone with tuberculosis or have consumed infected food or drink.

Infections can be detected by the tuberculin skin test. If positive, it means tuberculous infection in the past, with a chest X-ray deciding the present status. Another way of finding tuberculosis is through X-ray examination of the chest without skin testing. Although the tubercle bacillus can infect part of the body, the disease most often develops in the lungs.

Tuberculosis starts slowly. Long before the usual signs are present the patient expectorates bacilli. This is dangerous for other members of the family as well as work associates, for it is from such sources that most children become infected and develop a positive tuberculin skin test.

BOVINE INFECTION RARE
Tuberculosis of bones, joints, glands and peritoneum was formerly a common disease. Through tuberculin-testing of cattle, the elimination of infected animals and the pasteurization of milk, the cases of bovine infections in man have greatly decreased. It is difficult to find a case of this form of tuberculosis to show nursing and medical students so they may recognize the disease.

Tuberculous infection in children can be prevented in several ways. Parents, brothers and sisters, teachers and others who come into close contact with children should consult a physician if they suspect tuberculosis in themselves. All of us can co-operate in the chest X-ray examination surveys being conducted in various parts of the country. Parents can give permission to have school children tested.

PERIODIC TESTS
Children should be tested periodically, and if they become positive a search should be made in their family or among their associates for the source of infection.

tion. When tuberculosis is discovered, the patient should accept sanatorium care if available. Tuberculosis sanatoria are better places for the tuberculous than homes, and in addition members of their immediate families are protected against the disease.

Some physicians believe that childhood infection with tuberculosis is not a serious problem. It is true that most of these infections are mild and heal, but they do indicate that some one living or working with the child has the disease, and repeated exposures can cause serious disease.

Uncle Ray

WEALTHY CROESUS RULED KINGDOM OF LYDIA

If we search for "the richest man in history," we shall find that he has lived in modern times. No man in the ancient world could compare in wealth with such "billionaires" as Henry Ford or the late John D. Rockefeller.

Yet there was an ancient king whose fame for wealth has lasted to the present time. His name was Croesus (pronounced KREE-sus). The phrase "as rich as Croesus" is used from time to time.

King Croesus ruled over Lydia, a country at the eastern end of the Mediterranean Sea. Among his subjects were thousands of Greeks whose colonies, on the coast, he had taken over. He was on friendly terms with the people of Greece, including the Spartans.

An active trade took place between the Lydians and the Greeks. It is believed that the fortune of Croesus grew largely from profits which he made out of this trade.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

DRAT! IMAGINE MARTHA DETECTING SILVER THREADS IN MY EBONY LOCKS! -EGAD! THAT ONE DOES LOOK A BIT BLEACHED!

KAFF-KAFF-KAFF! GRAY HAIR IS UNDESIRABLE ON A MAN IN THE PRIME OF LIFE! I'LL SHAMPOO MY HEAD, THEN, GIVE IT A RINSE WITH THE OLD RELIABLE HAIR RESTORER!

HMP! WOULD I COULD NAB THE CULPRIT WHO GOES AROUND THIS HOUSE REMOVING LABELS-THIS THE BOTTLE?

WE HOPE HE WON'T HARM US!

AROUND HOME

I HAVE A SURPRISE FOR YOU, DADDY! I BOWLED 209!

AND I HAVE A SURPRISE FOR YOU, ANZIE! I BOWLED YOU A CAKE!

PUT THE SYRUP ON, MOM, WE'RE HAVING PANCAKES!

DOTTY DRIPPLE

NO, NO PEPPER! STAND ON YOUR FRONT PAW!

DON'T BE SUCH A DUMB HEAD- GO AHEAD AND DO IT!

CAN YOU DO IT, DADDY?

IT JUST SO HAPPENS THAT THERE'S NOTHING HERE I CARE TO KEEP LUCKY FOR YOU THERE'S NOTHING HERE I WANT. IDEA OF THROWING AWAY MY THINGS!

MR. AND MRS.

WHAT HAVE YOU GOT HERE?

WHAT HAVE YOU GOT?

JUST SOME STUFF FOR THE RAGBAG.

YES, BUT SOME OF THAT STUFF IS MINE AND MAYBE I WANT IT.

OKAY, BUT SOME OF WHAT YOU'VE GOT IS MINE AND MAYBE I WANT IT.

ALL RIGHT. LOOK IT OVER.

WASH TUBS

I'VE GOT TO ADMIT THERE ARE LOTS OF NICE PLACES FOR PICS IN JAPAN!

YEAH, EVEN IF WE DO HAVE K-RATIONS FOR LUNCH!

OF COURSE THE BUGS HERE AREN'T AS FRIENDLY AS THE ANTS BACK HOME, BUT THEY'LL HAVE TO DO!

BUT WHAT WILL WE USE FOR POISON IVY?

NO TRESPASS PLEASE

BOOTS

GEE, ROD! IT'S ALL SO NEW AND WONDERFUL I DON'T KNOW WHERE TO BEGIN!

WELL, THIS IS A SWEET START!

DID YOU PICK OUT ALL THE FURNITURE BY YOURSELF?

GOSH, NO! THE YOUNG COUPLE WHO LIVED HERE WERE LEAVING TOWN! THEIR PLAN WAS SO INDEFINITE I BOUGHT ALL THE FURNISHINGS JUST AS IS!

ANY CHANGES YOU WANT TO MAKE ARE OKAY BY ME!

ROD, I JUST LOVE IT!

FRECKLES

CHIEF, JUST TO PROVE THAT WE'RE NOT A PAIR OF VOID COUPONS, WE BROUGHT IN OUR RINGLEADER!

ARE YOU THE HEAD OF THAT SKITT CLUB?

YES, MR. CUR-FEW KEEPER- IN THE B.T.O. ON ACTIVE DUTY!

B.T.O.? YEP SHE'S A BIG TIME OPERATOR! AND HERE'S A PICTURE OF HER FOR YOUR FILES!

ALLEY OOP

PSST! WHO'S THE SHAGGY INDIVIDUAL FRANK'S GIVIN' A GOING-OVER?

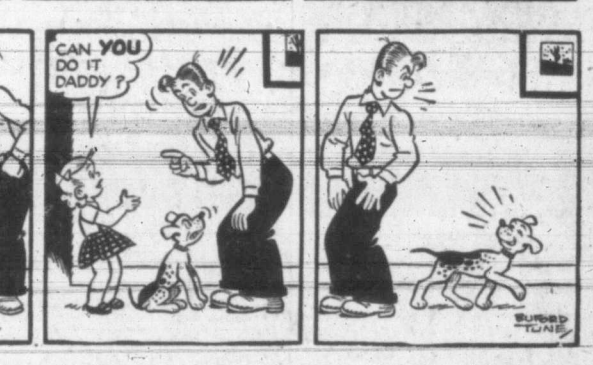
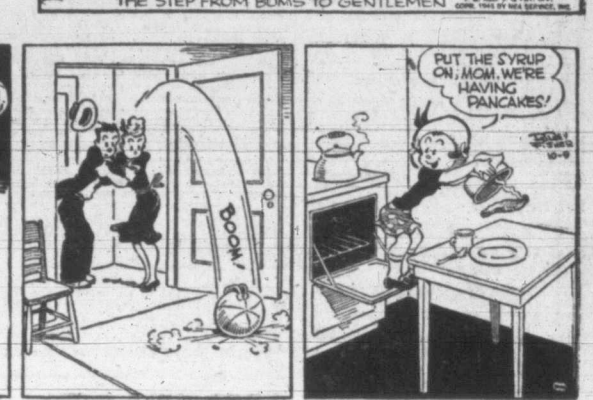
SOME TOURIST NAMED ALLEY... QUITE A BOY WITH THE LADIES TOO I HEAR!

MI, BABE! DYA MIND IF I REST IT? BODY HERE FOR A SPELL? I'M THE BEACH GUARD- NAMES BUTCH!

HELP YOURSELF! THIS BEACH IS PUBLIC. ISN'T IT?

OH SURE! BUT SAY, YOUR NEW HERE, AREN'T YOU? WHAT'S THE HANDLE?

HANDLE? OH, IT'S COOL!



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'Twice Blessed'

Opens at Dominion

Madcap mix-ups and romance, merrily interspersed with music and dancing, combine to make Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Twice Blessed," which opens today at the Dominion Theatre, a hilarious mirthfest for all types of theatregoers.

In this new comedy the Wilde Twins make their second screen appearance in straight acting roles after winning popular acclaim keeping Mickey Rooney on a merry-go-round in "Andy Hardy's Blonde Trouble." In "Twice Blessed," however, this pair of pretty blonde lookalikes portray widely varied types—Lee a happy-go-lucky, jitterbugging, modern miss, and Lyn, in studious specs and braids, a contrasting book-wormish plain Jane.

But when they switch places—the hilarity hits high speed.

Preston Foster, voted one of Hollywood's most popular leading men, turns from hailed dramatic roles to a comedy delineation as the newspaperman father of the twins, with ideas of his own on child rearing; ideas which run counter to those of his wife.

CAPITOL THEATRE

Packed with action that's tough and love that's rough... thrilling with the exciting hurly-burly of one of America's most fabulous play spots... and starring George Raft, Joan Bennett, Vivian Blaine and Peggy Ann Garner, "Nob Hill," the dazzling new 20th Century-Fox technicolor drama-music is now at the Capitol Theatre.

Frisco, where girls kicked highest, fists crashed hardest and blood ran hottest—where men fought at the snap of a garter, and women loved at the snap of a finger—is the rich and colorful setting for this latest 20th Century-Fox extravaganza. The lush atmosphere of San Francisco's Nob Hill versus the gaudy gaiety of its world-famous Barbary Coast at the turn of the century, sets the stage for the thrilling love battle that made the Barbary Coast pause in its song, turn from its women, and reach for its hips.

CADET THEATRE

Hedy Lamarr, George Brent and Paul Lukas are starred in RKO Radio's thrilling new mystery picture, "Experiment Perilous," now at the Cadet Theatre, the story of a woman's deadly peril at the hands of her husband whom the world knows as a wealthy philanthropist but who is, in reality, a cold-blooded killer.

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MARSHALL THOMPSON reminds Lee (or is it Lyn?) Wilde to be in the groove for the big jitterbug contest; in this scene from M-G-M's "Twice Blessed," which opens today at the Dominion Theatre featuring also Preston Foster and Gail Patrick. It's a rollicking comedy hit.

Where To Go Tonight

ATLAS—Spencer Tracy and Katharine Hepburn in "Without Love."

CADET—"Experiment Perilous," starring Hedy Lamarr.

CAPITOL—George Raft and Joan Bennett in "Nob Hill."

DOMINION—Preston Foster and Gail Patrick in "Twice Blessed."

OAK BAY—Joan Crawford in "They All Kissed the Bride."

PLAZA—"On Stage Everybody," starring Jack Oakie.

RIO—Michael O'Shea in "Jack London."

YORK—"Up in Arms," starring Danny Kaye.



JOEL MCCREA and **Miriam Hopkins**, appearing in the Samuel Goldwyn production "Barbary Coast," now being screened at the York Theatre.

Hear Mrs. Trew, M.L.A. from Saskatchewan, and Harry Weber, Esquimalt C.C.F. candidate, at Queen of Peace Hall, Old Esquimalt Rd., tonight, 8.30 p.m.

YORK THEATRE

Danny Kaye, the stage's comedy sensation; Dinah Shore, famous for her torch singing; Dana Andrews, rising young favorite; Constance Dowling, a glamorous newcomer, and Louis Calhern, of "Life With Father" fame, have the top roles in "Up in Arms," Samuel Goldwyn's new tune film in technicolor for RKO Radio release, now at the York Theatre.

Basing its gay comedy and novelty musical numbers on the woes of an errant draftee who wrecks army discipline with his exploits, the picture also unveils all the 1944 Goldwyn girls. Elliott Nugent directed.

Hear Colin Cameron, dynamic C.C.F. speaker, Wednesday, 6.30, CJVI.



A GUY AS TOUGH as they come... two girls as dangerous as they make 'em! Joan Bennett, George Raft and Vivian Blaine are involved in the thrilling love battle that made the Barbary Coast pause in its song, turn from its women and reach for its hips in "Nob Hill," the dazzling new 20th Century-Fox technicolor triumph which is at the Capitol Theatre. Peggy Ann Garner is also starred in the exciting drama-music directed by Henry Hathaway and produced by Andre Daven.

THE INTERNATIONAL SCENE

By J. M. ROBERTS JR.
Associated Press Foreign Affairs Analyst

The Japanese who ordered the execution of United States fliers who raided Tokyo in the early days of the war in the Pacific probably are suffering from an incomprehensible surprise today.

Although an accused man's right to defence by counsel of his own choosing is an axiomatic part of Anglo-Saxon justice, one wonders sometimes whether such motives are completely beyond the ken of other peoples. It would be interesting to know how Tokyo newspapers handled the story of Gen. Yamashita's arraignment in Manila, defended by an American officer who also obtained the defence services of two Japanese generals who are themselves suspected of war crimes.

If there are those in Japan who have not entirely forgotten the Bushido decree of fairness toward a conquered enemy, then the incident might have a tremendous propaganda value. They might be even more surprised if apprised of the skillful manoeuvring of Allied defence counsel for Kramer of Belsen.

Similar machinery is beginning to roll at Nuremberg in infinitely difficult circumstances. There, for the first time, men are to be given a legal hearing on a charge of committing the crime of war. It is an unprecedented step, comparable to the times when men, lacking formal codes of law, first began to try offenders in the light of community conscience.

There is every evidence that the Nuremberg trials are to be conducted with the greatest care for legal regularity. Defendants are not to be punished merely because they lost a war. They are to be punished only if the trials establish, in a manner which will stand the light of historic examination, that they are guilty of acts outlawed by international conscience as expressed in the facts which, unviolated, would have prevented war and its accompanying atrocities.

The picture of Allied lawyers in uniform defending their erstwhile enemies, the care with which outraged feelings are separated from legal procedure, provides a contrast with the Laval trial, where judge and jury rise to shout down a man not as yet convicted.

Anglo-Saxon trial procedure, sufficiently advertised, may prove a potent Allied propaganda weapon.

ATLAS THEATRE

As sparkling and heady as champagne and timely as the next tick of the clock, M-G-M's "Without Love," co-stars academy award winners Katharine Hepburn for the third time, at the Atlas Theatre. Added to this S.R.O. box-office combination is perky, popular Lucille Ball.

A hilarious, modern romantic comedy written for the screen by Donald Ogden Stewart and based on the Broadway stage hit by Philip Barry, "Without Love," is Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's answer to requests for another "The Philadelphia Story" or "Woman of the Year."

Resume Mail Service To Freed Far East

Mail service for private business correspondence between Canada and Hongkong, Malay States, Straits Settlements, French Indo-China and Thailand has been resumed, according to an announcement today by G. H. Gardner, city postmaster.

Letters up to a maximum weight limit of one ounce, and postcards may now be accepted for all but Thailand where letters, printed and commercial papers not exceeding two ounces in weight, and postcards may be accepted, Mr. Gardner said.

Business letters will be restricted until further notice to those ascertaining facts and exchanging information. No actual trading is permitted. No registration, air mail, money order or parcel post service is yet available.

Mail for these countries will be forwarded by England and the postage rates in effect before the mail services were suspended will apply.

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